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UNDER THE PUNKAH.

By J. PENN.

The More We Are Together.

No, ladies and gentlemen, you will be greatly disappointed if you expect me to publish the names of the two silly asses recently reported in this paper as having been seen wandering aimlessly up and down the highways and byeways of Happy Valley. Possibly it was Mutt and Jeff; it may have been Marshall and Suelgrove, or Negretti and Zambra, or Pip and Squeak, or even Jack and Jill. I don't know and I don't care who they were. Besides, why all this fuss about two jackasses strolling about Happy Valley when there are—[We fear the hot weather has affected our correspondent's temper, for the next five lines of this paragraph are exceedingly "liverish," and are deleted accordingly. —Ed.]. . . The fact is the *Times* is not what it used to be, and it never was, nor ever will. What do those fellows squatting comfortably in Printing House Square know about China as compared with us men HERE ON THE SPOT, unofficial eyewitnesses, so to speak, with our long listening ears to the ground, fully primed with up-to-the-minute information from two or more sides of every one of the forty-seven different varieties of war-fronts? The *Times* can only base its views about China on what we fellows have ALREADY WRITTEN on the subject—WE who have to risk our lives daily mid shot and shell to glean the very latest news of Feng, and Yen, and Wu, and Fu, and the 4,763 other War Lords with whom we are in close and constant contact. What is this *Times*, indeed? And why?

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The Yappier We'll Be.

The more I think about those wandering jackasses seen down Happy Valley way the more convinced I am that [Quite, quite!—Ed.] . . and that being so, I appeal with confidence to all sensible, sober, and fair-minded men to join me in forcing the British Government to take action forthwith, instead of standing supinely with folded hands in its pockets like Humpty Dumpty on the magic carpet waiting for something to turn up, like Macaulay. The so-called British Government, with its spineless inactivity, is like a jellyfish which needs telling where to get off, and I propose to tell it. It has been reported, on most credible authority, that a British nose has been punched, and British blood shed. This is intolerable. The cause of this outrageous affront—this unspeakable insult—is not known, nor is the matter of any material importance. What does matter is that never, since the animals came out of the ark, has the British lion been so shamefully humiliated by Bolshevik craft and dastardly cowardice. The British Government must send a battleship squadron—two squadrons—ten, what does money matter?—supported by the Royal Air Force and an Expeditionary Army of at least a million men. Not until this is done shall we in this far-flung fragment of Empire feel that, after all, we do count for something sometimes somehow.

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Pride and Prejudice.

As as for Reuter, it is quite easy to show how unfair and prejudiced he is. Week after week he sends out a lot of stuff about doings and sayings in this and that public assembly, but has he once sent a cable to London reporting the proceedings of our Sanitary Board? Has he ever cabled even a summary—I don't say a full, but a condensed report—of any of the comments on current affairs appearing in these Notes? Has he ever troubled to send a cable to London reporting *our* football finals, *our* heavyweight-boxing-matches, or the draws in the competition for the Spey Royal Cup? No, no, NO! It's always the *Times* says this, or Ramsay MacDonald did that, or a great crowd at Hoylake—but never a word about Fanling. This is gross partisanship, and the British Government should take immediate action and by sending out a few battleships take this cable business into its own hands and show that it is determined to stand no nonsense.

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Ye Banks and Brays.

I am not a Chinese. And I am not a banker. But if I were Chinese, I think I would like to be a banker. It seems an awfully simple job, banking. What I mean to say is, what is there to it, really? Just walk into the palatial premises of the nearest bank you can think of—say, the Shuttered Banking Corporation of Hindu Koosh and Andalusia. What do you see there? Crowds of jovial, good-looking fellows, well-fed and nicely-clad, without a wrinkle or a grey hair among the whole lot of them. Some of them are a bit bald, but that comes partly from sitting under the punkah too long without a rest, and also from their curious habit of scratching the apex of the dome meditatively before telling a client what his overdraft is.

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All day long they put down columns of figures in a book and copy them into another book, and then at the end of a year make a speech regretting that owing to the unswerving loyalty of the staff it has not been possible to declare a bigger dividend than that declared for the preceding period.

But this is not the sort of bank I would like to be a member of—I want to join, or promote, one of those concerns such as the Editor was describing the other day. An outfit where a partner puts in $10,000 and draws out $100,000 without anybody making facetious remarks about it. One of those banks where the manager has a little flutter with exchange, and—being a generous sort of cove—lets his principals in on the deal with him. One of those banks which don't issue balance-sheets and whose clients are only too pleased to think somebody is enjoying a quiet little gamble with their money. That's the sort of bank I would like to be in.

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A Bored Meeting.

I can imagine what happens at a meeting of the Board of Directors—they must meet occasionally, otherwise how would they know one another?

Chairman: Well, Gentlemen, here we are again!

Chorus: Ai-yah!

Chairman: As there appears to be no other business before the Board, I move we do now adjourn to the nearest shark-fin soup emporium.

Chorus: Ai-yah!

Manager: By the way, gentlemen, I dropped ten million on exchange yesterday, but I suppose it is not necessary for me to do more than mention the fact?

Chorus: Ai-yah!

Chairman: Does that mean that you let us down as well?

Manager: Ai-yah!

Chairman: Well, gentlemen, we must be bold in the face of adversity. It seems from what our manager tells us that many millions of our clients' money has gone phut, but we must not take this calamity too much to heart. There are plenty more millions where those came from, and pending their receipt I propose we adjourn as aforesaid and meet again this day month.

Vice-Chairman: I think this is my shout, gentlemen, but as I am rather short this week, I would like to ask if our manager may be authorised to advance a lakh just to carry me over the end of the month?

Chorus: Ai-yah!

Chairman: That concludes the business, gentlemen, and I thank you for your attendance.

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Local War News.

Latest reports indicate that all is quiet on the Icehouse Street front, but a strained situation exists on the Wyndham Street sector, and at any moment there may be news of a severe engagement. The forces taking part in this new contest are not those recently engaged on the Icehouse Street front, but quite independent groups. Their leaders are distinguished litterateurs, and since the pen is mightier than the sword, some desperate fighting is expected.

Diary of Coming Events.

To-day.
(July 12.)

Commemoration of the Republic of China.

Queen's Theatre: "Melody of Love."

World Theatre: "Dream of Love" (at 2.30 and 7.15 p.m. Chinese film, "Sparrows of War").

Star Theatre: "12 Miles Out" at 5.30 p.m. At 9.15 p.m. Mystery show by "Nicola".

Central Theatre: "The Lady Lies."

Majestic Theatre: "Valley of the Giants."

Lawn Bowls.—1st Div.: C.S.C.C. *v.* Kowloon B.G.C., Police R.C. *v.* C.C.C., Kowloon Docks R.C. *v.* Recreio, K.C.C. *v.* Taikoo R.C. 2nd Div.: C.C.C. *v.* C.S.C.C., Taikoo R.C. *v.* Electric R.C., Kowloon B.G.C. *v.* Royal H.K.Y.C., Recreio *v.* K.C.C.

Tea Dance: Peninsula Hotel, 5 p.m.

Dinner Dance: Repulse Bay Hotel, 8.30 p.m.

European Mail:—Inward: Europe *vid* Negapatam (Bengal Maru); Europe *vid* Siberia (Pres. Wilson); Outward: Europe *vid* Siberia (Dardanus), 2.30 p.m.

Tides: High, 12.07 a.m. and 9.39 a.m.; Low, 3.14 a.m. and 5.22 p.m.

Sunday.
(July 13.)

Fourth Sunday after Trinity.

Queen's Theatre: "Girl from from Havana."

World Theatre: "Home James!"

Star Theatre: "Valencia."

Central Theatre: "Roadhouse Night."

Lighting-up Time.—7.11 p.m.

Religious Services.—Sailors' and Soldiers' Home Servicemen's Bible Class, 3 p.m.; Social Hour, 8.30 p.m.

European Mail:—Inward: Europe *vid* Negapatam (Kidderpore).

Tides—High, 12.40 a.m. and 10.12 a.m.; Low, 3.53 a.m. and 5.57 p.m.

Monday.
(July 14.)

Queen's Theatre: "Girl from from Havana."

World Theatre: "Home James!"

Star Theatre: "Valencia."

Central Theatre: "Roadhouse Night."

Sale of Crown Land, K.I.L. No. 2364, at P.W.D. offices, 3 p.m.

Water Polo:—1st Div.: Navy *v.* R.A.; 2nd Div.: University *v.* Fukien Club.

European Mail:—Outward: Europe *vid* Siberia (Pres. Pierce), 6 p.m.

Tides: High, 1.09 a.m. and 10.46 a.m.; Low, 4.31 a.m. and 6.33 p.m.

Tuesday.
(July 15.)

Queen's Theatre: "Girl from from Havana."

World Theatre: "Everybody's Acting."

Star Theatre: "Big City."

Central Theatre: "Roadhouse Night."

Extraordinary General Meeting, Kowloon Cricket Club, 6 p.m.

Dinner Dance: Peninsula Hotel, 8.30 pm.

European Mail:—Outward: Europe *vid* Marseilles (Chenonceaux), 2.30 p.m.

Tides: High, 1.24 a.m. and 11.22 a.m.; Low, 5.08 a.m. and 7.10 p.m.

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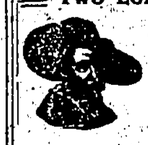
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BALLOON RACE IN AMERICA.

[UNITED PRESS.]

San Mateo, Calif., July 6.—Paul Mantz of Palo Alto to-day set a new world record by making 46 "outside loops" in an aeroplane in three hours and 30 minutes.

The outside loop is one of the most hazardous of all aeroplane manœuvres, consisting of a loop-the-loop in which the pilot's head is at the outside of the circle, centrifugal force tending to throw him out of his aeroplane at all points of the loop, whereas in the ordinary loop-the-loop the forces tend to hold him firmly in his seat.

The previous record was held by Dale Jackson of Chicago, who completed 36 outside loops.

Long-Distance Ballooning.

Houston, Texas, July 5.—The balloons which left here late yesterday afternoon for the 1930 national race, after a delay caused by intermittent storms, were headed northward according to the last report. All the seventeen entries are presumably still in the air, none having been reported down.

The Kelvinator entry has dropped a note to the effect that all is well with the refrigeration representative.

New Record Probable.

Houston, Tex, July 6.—Four balloons are believed to be still aloft in the 1930 national balloon race which started on the afternoon of the Fourth of July.

The Goodyear Zeppelin entry has been sighted at Cairo, Ill., according to telegraph reports.

The United States Van Service balloon dropped a note over Paducah, Kentucky, and said that the *Detroit Times* entry had been sighted ahead.

Although no reports have been received from the Navy No. 1, it is presumed to be still aloft. Last year the Navy No. 1 entry won the race, sailing 952 miles in 43 h. 20 min., a new record both in distance and duration. The *Detroit Times* entry was second with the Goodyear VII third.

The national race is conducted in order to select the United States team for the Gordon Bennett International Balloon Race. In spite of adverse conditions at the start, the present race may result in a new record at least for duration, according to indications to-day.

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Aviator's Lucky Escape.

St. John, July 6.—A Welsh aviator, Major C. S. Wynne-Eyton, was painfull injured and narrowly escaped death this morning when a Moth aeroplane in which he had planned to attempt a Harbour Grace-to-London flight crashed while taking off for Harbour Grace.

Major Wynne-Eyton was rescued from the cockpit less than three minutes before a terrific explosion wrecked the burning ship.

The engine of the aeroplane had stalled when the 'plane was at a height of only three feet. The 'plane plunged down upon its nose on the field.

Spectators were removing the pilot, bruised, bleeding and unconscious, as fire broke out around the engine and rapidly spread toward the cockpit. The explosion followed shortly afterward.

Although the major is suffering from numerous cuts about the head and body, he escaped burns and his condition is not regarded by physicians as serious.

SPANISH FATHER IN BANDITS HANDS.

VENERABLE MISSIONARY IN HUNAN.

The Augustinian Corporation of Shanghai have received an advice to the effect that Father Emilio Fernandez of their order was captured by Communists last week at Nanshien, North Hunan.

Father Fernandez is a veteran missionary who came to China from Manila 28 years ago. He is a native of Laon, North Spain, and was born in 1870, educated at the Augustinian College of Valladolid and ordained priest in 1894 when he was sent out to Manila where he wroked for eight years before coming to China.

After learning Chinese at Hankow, he was posted to the College of the Augustinian Mission in Hunan. For some years he was at the head of the Lichow Orphanage.

He went Home to Spain on leave for the first time in 1927 and, returning in the latter part of 1928, he took up work at Nanshien, which is about 30 miles from Yochow.

"LEGACY FOR THE POPE."

CONFIDENCE TALE OF £2,000,000.

A singular story of a supposed inheritance of £2,000,000, part of which was said to be given to the Pope, was told at Bow Street police-court last month, when Robert Lavis (53), a well-dressed man of no fixed home, was charged with stealing £439 from an American, Mr. Wesley E. Sild, by means of the confidence trick.

Detective-Sergeant Salisbury said that a third man got into conversation with Mr. Sild in the West End and introduced himself as a grain merchant from Canada. They exchanged confidences, and yesterday the third man called at the Russell Hotel, where Mr. Sild was staying.

They walked to the Strand together, and there, just in front of them, Lavis, who appeared to be a complete stranger, dropped his spectacles. They were picked up by the third man and returned to Lavis, who expressed his deep gratitude. Lavis went on to say that he had come from Ireland, and that an uncle had just left him £2,000,000, of which £20,000 had to be given to the Pope in Rome. He asked the other two men to help him to distribute some of the money among the poor, but wanted them first to show him that they were "men of substance," to be trusted.

Credentials Wanted.

They entered a tea-shop, where Lavis produced several wads of paper, each wrapped with an imitation Bank of England note. Mr. Sild was induced to part with English and American money to the amount of £439 and a diamond ring, "just to inspire confidence." Having got possession of this, the other two men left the tea shop. Mr. Sild immediately became suspicious, and followed them. He caught Lavis with all the money on him, but the other man got away.

Mr. Sild stated in evidence that Lavis represented himself to be an illiterate but honest peasant, and said he knew nothing whatever about stocks and shares. He offered, in return for any assistance Mr. Sild could give him, to hand him £2,000 for distribution among the poor of America. "I was led into this by the other man," Mr. Sild added. "Lavis demanded that I should produce credentials or money to show that I would use his money in the way he wanted it to be used."

"It seems rather a remarkable story," commented Mr. Fry, the magistrate. "It may be that the person robbed was extraordinarily credulous, but I must protect even people like him against tricksters."

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SIN AGAINST BEAUTY.

BISHOP ON BAD TASTE IN CHURCHES.

In the Southwark Diocesan festival recently was observed as the "day of art and music."

At a service in the Cathedral the Bishop (Dr. Garbett) gave an address, in the course of which he referred to the influence of Ruskin, William Morris, and others in creating a conscience in matters of art. He said that, although the movement which began with them still grew in strength, the forces which made for ugliness were still powerful.

Commercialism was destroying the countryside with jerry-built bungalows, with blatantly vulgar petrol stations, with monstrous advertisements. The demand for swift traffic had ruined hundreds of wooded lanes and turned them into broad and featureless roadways.

Pylons were in contemplation which would disfigure country downs, electric power stations were rising which threatened to increase the pall of smoke over our great cities. Local authorities still felt it quite natural that one of the fairest stretches of the Thames bank should be suggested as a suitable site for a sewage farm.

The Church had an unrivalled opportunity of taking the lead in setting a high standard of artistic excellence. Zealous but ill-instructed restorers had sometimes worlked more fatal havoc than the deliberate iconoclast.

The interiors of some of the best of their churches were damaged, sometimes half ruined, by tasteless colour and inartistic ornaments and furniture. Clumsy and heavy reredoses, garish tiles and carpets, pretentious pulpits and ridiculous lecterns, hangings and curtains, drab in colour, stamped by machine-made ecclesiastical designs, windows with insipid and unreal figures, colours on the walls and floors which were in violent discord, cheap and conventional vases and lamps were found in many of our churches and made persistent progress against the worship of God in beauty as well as in holiness. For, their sins against beauty they should sometimes have litanies of penitence.

"THE WOMAN WITH JADE EYES."

QUEER NIGHT CLUB TRAGEDY IN PARIS.

The funeral, which took place quietly in a fashionable Paris church, of Signor Ramon de Francia, a member of a wealthy Venezuelan family, has led to the allegation that he died from poison in a Montparnasse night club.

Le Petit Journal says that the police have made an unsuccessful search for his companion on the night of his death, a woman known as "the woman with the jade eyes." She is a very familiar figure in the night clubs of Montparnasse.

Signor de Francia had nearly £250 with him, and this is now said to be missing.

A witness of the affair says that the man and the girl went into the night club and sat down at a table, where they appeared to be studying papers. When they had drunk two small glasses of a green liquor the man went out for a few minutes.

When he came back he stumbled and collapsed. People rushed to his aid, but found that he was unconscious, and he was hurried to hospital.

His companion said she would accompany him, and tell his family. She went with him in a taxi-cab in company with a policeman, but, before reaching the hospital, she vanished.

The man died in hospital, and, according to *Le Petit Journal*, his family has hushed up the whole affair.

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"I didn't know the new stenographer was left-handed."

"She isn't—she's just engaged."

"The workers in my organization never watch the clock."

"So I've noticed. Most of them have wrist watches."

"Here's a fellow who thinks a timetable has five legs."

"Ha, ha! How absurd! How many has the bally thing?"

"I see by the papers," said the street cleaner, "that—"

"That there's been another parade in town," said the other.

Fop: "The most delightful thing in the world is to hold converse with the person one loves most in the world."

Lady: "But it is very bad to talk to oneself."

Someone had congratulated the club wit on becoming a father. "Oh, yes, thanks," he said. "We're quite an international household now. I represent England, my wife Scotland, and the babe wails."

"What are you going to do tonight, dear?"

"Oh, write a letter or two, read a bit, listen to the wireless, and so on."

"Well, when you come to the 'sew on,' don't forget my shirt buttons."

Cook: "If you please, ma'am, may I entertain my fiancé in the kitchen this evening?"

Mistress: "But I thought you broke it off with him last night, Mary?"

"So I did, ma'am; but, naturally, I gave him a month's notice."

Little Nannie was beginning to spell, her new acquirement filling her with pleasure and confidence.

"So you're learning to spell, are you, Nan?" inquired Uncle Ben. "Let me see. Spell 'up'."

"U-p, up," came triumphantly.

"Right you are. Now, let me see if you can spell down'."

"P-u, down," came promptly—and we must say with reasoning.

Editor's Wife: "I want to have a little chat with you."

Editor: "All right, my dear, but try and hold it down below 10,000 words."

"I'm publicity man for the citrus growers."

"Well?"

"I want to get grapefruit in the public eye."

"This vase is 2000 years old! Be very careful in carrying it."

"You can depend on me, Professor; I'll be as careful of it as if it were new!"

The film producer was in difficulty about the leading man for his new films.

"What about So-and-so?" he asked.

"He's too caustic," said the studio manager.

"Hang the expense!" roared the producer. "Get him!"

Little Mary Jane and her next-door neighbour Billy were engaged in an absorbing conversation.

"What are anarchists?" asked little Mary Jane.

Then Billy swelled with wisdom. "They want everything anyone else has got, and they never wash themselves," he replied.

"Oh, yes!" cried little Mary Jane, with enthusiasm. "I see—they is just little boys growed up!"

A story is told by Mr. Evelyn Graham in his newly published book, entitled, "Fifty Years of Famous Judges," concerning Mr. Justice Grantham. While on circuit once he returned to the house where he was staying rather late, and, as he was wearing a cap, he was not recognized by the constable on duty outside, who seemingly mistook him for one of the servants. "Has the old blighter gone to bed yet?" inquired the policeman of the judge, who replied that he thought he had not. A short while later he opened his bedroom window and put out his head. "Officer," he called down to the street below, "the old blighter is just going to bed now."

DIFFICULT DECISIONS — By GLUYAS WILLIAMS

THE SILVER SCREEN.

MELODIES OF LOVE.

At the Queen's Theatre to-day the first all-talkie of the Universal studio can be heard, "The Melody of Love," in which Walter Pidgeon and Mildred Harris are singing a number of tuneful songs. Both artistes have good voices, and the story covers scenes in France and New York (which means America). The hero is a song-writer who loses the use of his hand in the Great War, but who finds consolation in the love of a French girl, who follows him to New York, and so brings the romance to a happy conclusion.

In addition to the star picture, the Queen's management is showing three other films—a musical number by the Broux Sisters, an amusing cartoon, "Stage Stunts," and a comedy entitled "Pilgrim Papas."

"THE GIRL FROM HAVANA."

Ben Stoloff, whose thirtieth directorial production for Fox Films is "The Girl From Havana," Fox Movietone picture to be seen and heard at the Queen's Theatre to-morrow, was formerly a professional baseball-player, with a batting average in the Coast League of well over 300. As a director, he has "clicked" close to 1,000. Lola Lane and Paul Page are co-featured in "The Girl From Havana," with Warren Hymer, Natalie Moorhead, Adele Windsor and Kenneth Thomson prominent in the supporting cast.

"THE LADY LIES."

In "The Lady Lies" Paramount has produced a powerfully dramatic but at the same time, absorbingly human romance drama that should add greatly to the prestige of its sponsors, and to that of its featured players, Walter Huston, Claudette Colbert and Charles Ruggles.

At the Central Theatre yesterday, audiences liked it, and liked it very much. Of Huston they were saying "Hasn't he a wonderful voice! Can't he act! Of Miss Colbert they were saying "Isn't she a gorgeous creature—what a splendid voice!" Of Ruggles they were saying "Isn't he the funniest man in the world!" and of the children, Tom Brown and Virginia Deering several persons were heard to say "Bright young" actors, aren't they!"

"The Lady Lies" is the story of a prominent and successful lawyer who is a widower and who, to the disappointment of his two young children and his relatives, falls in love with a woman, who is not, in their opinion, of an equal social standing with him. The family powers of intervention are brought to bear and the plot deals with the weighing in the balance of a true love affair and a family's selfish ambitions. After numerous situations which are shot through with clever dialogue and tense drama, the romance reaches a logical culmination.

THE CHAPLIN OF THE TALKIES.

Clayton, Jackson and Durante, who were Broadway favourites, particularly among after-theatre club devotees for several years, have at last been signed for a moving picture. The picture is "Roadhouse Nights," and it comes to the Central Theatre to-morrow. In this film, which was written by Ben Hecht, this inimitable trio of song and dance comics display clearly why they have made such a great success on the Great White Way. They sing three of their own songs in the production, which is a comedy-thriller, and Jimmy Durante, their leader, shows why he has earned for himself the title of "the Charlie Chaplin of the talking screen."

"Roadhouse Nights" was produced at the Astoria, L.I. studio of the Paramount company. Because of the fact that most of the principals were engaged at the time in Broadway entertainments which kept them busy in the afternoons and evenings, the camera and talkie recordings of "Roadhouse Nights" took place in the morning hours.

"YOU WERE MEANT FOR ME."

LOVE SONG INSPIRED BY OTHER WOMEN.

When Nacio Herb. Brown, the £10,000 a year composer of "Broadway Melody," "The Wedding of the Painted Doll," "Singin' in the Rain," and other popular American talkie songs, wrote the line:—"You were meant for me. I was meant for you," he did not realise that it would have a special significance in his own domestic life.

But soon after he had written it, his wife, Mrs. Ruby Porter Brown, filed a petition for divorce. She declared that the whole verse:—

"Life was a song. You came along,
I've laid awake the whole night through,
If I but dared to think you cared, this is what I'd say to you,
'You were meant for me, I was meant for you,'"

was inspired by another woman.

So she cited the lovely Doris Eaton, youngest of three Hollywood sisters, as co-respondent.

Mrs. Brown in her petition declared that her husband had nagged and bullied her into providing him with two sums of £4,000 and £18,000 for the purpose of organising a music publishing business.

Now another complication has arisen. Doris Easton is afraid that by figuring in this domestic entanglement her career may be prejudiced.

Furthermore, the divorce suit would also embarrass her two sisters—Mary, the wife of a talkie director, and Pearl, who devises dances in Hollywood.

DUCHESS' SAUCEPAN GIFT.

AN EARL GIVES A HEARTH-BRUSH.

A duchess has given an April bride a set of saucepans: An earl has given her a hearth-bush, and another titled friend has given her, a patent egg-boiler.

This is the new "fashion" in wedding presents, heralding, perhaps, the end of those days when a bride might reasonably expect to furnish her new home with presents of silver and fine linen.

The "unlucky" bride in question has also received a visitors' book, and what she describes as "a deadly home-made hand-bag."

Another bride has been given three wooden kitchen spoons, tastefully tied together with a piece of blue ribon; and one bride burst into tears when she received an amateur water-colour, the laborious work of the donor.

Family photographs are also popular—with everybody but the brides—for this is the time of year when fashionable photographers give free sittings.

It is said that the limit was reached when one member of a rich family gave a sugar bowl, while another member of the same family gave the tongs.

But the bride who is regarded as the unluckiest of them a' is the one who received a sachet of lavender with the family crest crobroidered in the corner.

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The outside walls are hollow, triangular panes of casein, a transparent material made of vegetable waste. The windows are constructed on the thermos flask type so as to preserve an equable temperature. It is claimed that in this house there is no need for the local electric light or gas company, for all the heat, lighting and refrigerating power can be supplied by a Diesel engine at a cost of 25s. a month.

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Children's Service at 10 a.m.
Mattins and Sermon at 11 a.m.
Preacher:—Rev. H. V. Koop.
Evensong at 6.00 p.m.
Preacher:—Rev. L. N. Watkins.

Note:—St. Paul's College Bazaar on Friday and Saturday, July 18th and 19th at 4.00 p.m. in the College Grounds, Lower Albert Road. [97

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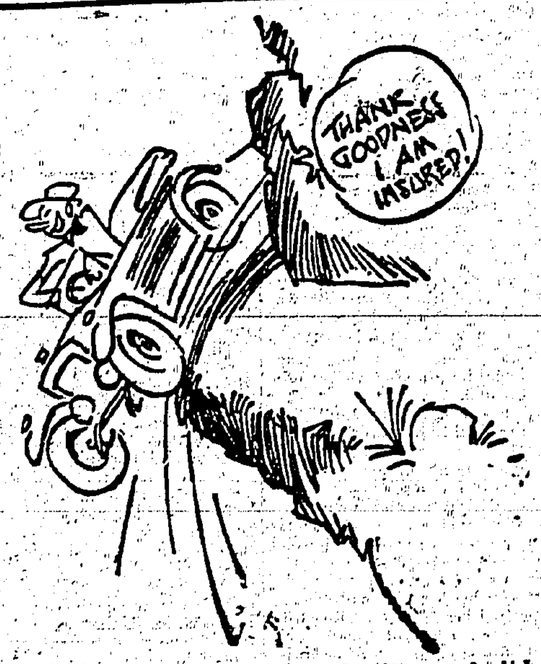

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[ORDERS BY MAJOR H. B. L. DOWRIGGIN, COMMANDING HONG KONG VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS.]

Parades.

(a.)—Corps Band.—Until further orders the Corps Band will parade twice a week at Headquarters, namely, on Mondays and Thursdays, at 6 p.m.

(b.)—Battery.—A lecture will be given by Major C. T. Baynham, D.S.O., R.A., at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, July 17, at Headquarters.

(c.)—Corps Signals.—Signal Class will parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, July 17.

(d.)—Machine Gun Troop.—Parade at Causeway Bay Stables at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, July 17.

(e.)—Armoured Car Company.—Car Section. The following will parade at Kowloon Railway Station at 5.30 p.m. on Friday, July 18, for driving instruction on No. 2 Armoured Car:—Sergt. E. D. Labrouse, L/Cpl. J. S. Flegg, Pte. E. J. J. Spradbury, and Pte. A. G. Clarke.

All other ranks will parade at Headquarters at 5.15 p.m. for instruction on No. 1 Car under Corpl. A. Nissim.

Motor Cycle Section. Parade at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Friday, July 18, for instructional ride and dismounted action *en route*.

(f.)—Machine Gun Company.—N.C.O.'s classes will be held on Tuesday, 15th, and Friday, 18th instant, at 5.30 p.m. in mufti. All N.C.O.'s and others as recommended by Platoon Commanders are expected to attend.

(g.)—Scottish Company.—There will be no further parades, unless specially ordered, until the end of August. Instruction will be available for N.C.O.'s and others every Thursday evening, during above period.

Corps Flashes.

The new flashes for the Corps topees are now ready. Officers and other ranks will hand their topees into the store as soon as possible for the purposes of having the flashes properly sewn on. O.C. Units who will please expedite the sending in of the topees of the members of their commands.

Corps Stores.

In future the Corps Store will be open during the following hours:—

Mondays and Wednesdays:—9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.,

Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays:—9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., 2 p.m. to 4 p.m., 5 p.m. to 6.30 p.m.

Saturdays:—9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Corps Notice Boards.

It is notified for information that a central Corps Notice Board has been placed outside the lecture room door, on which will be placed notices affecting all companies, etc. Corps Orders will be placed on this board only in future.

A "What's On" board has been placed on the left of the above on which will be posted brief notifications of current events taking place in the Corps such as rifle shoots, field firing exercises, concerts, etc.

A special board has been place in the Miniature Range for notices and extracts from small arms training, etc.

Range at Kennedy Road.

The range at Kennedy Road is allotted to the Engineer Company on Monday, the 14th inst.

Strength.

No. 1574 Pte. T. L. Paget, Machine Gun Company, No. 3 Platoon, has been taken on the strength and posted to the unit as from July 7, 1930.

Struck Off the Strength.

Left the Colony:—No. 1261 Gnr H. F. Sullivan, the Battery, as from July 5, 1930.

Transfer.

No. 1198 Corpl. J. W. Beattie, Machine Gun Company, No. 3 Platoon, is transferred to Engineer Company and reverts to the ranks as from July 11, 1930.

(Sgd.) W. H. G. Goater, Capt., Adjutant, H.K.V.D.C.

Hong Kong, July 11, 1930.

Annual Aquatic Sports.

The annual aquatic sports will be held at the Victoria Recreation Club on Saturday, July 26, at 9 p.m.

Admission tickets, $1 each, can be obtained at Volunteer Headquarters and Victoria Recreation Club.

Entrance fee, 50 cents per man per event, whether team or individual entries. Members of the Corps are asked to submit names for Lady Competition (no entrance fee) to C.S.M. Badgett.

Entries to be made in writing, accompanied by the necessary fees to C.S.M. Padgett at Volunteer Headquarters, not later than noon on Tuesday, July 22.

Full particulars have been issued to all ranks of the Corps by circular

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the Miniature Range on Monday, the 7th inst.:—

Corpl. Salter	22
Lce.-Corpl. Hooper	21
Spr. Smith	18
Spr. Mundy	25
Spr. Ross	18
Spr. Purves	7
Spr. Srange	33
Spr. Armstrong	21

The team is to be congratulated on their shooting and turn out.

At the Machine Gun Company Rifle Cup shoot, held at the Peak Range on Sunday, July 6, L/Cpl. N. A. E. Mackay won the monthly spoon shoot. The scores of the shoot resulted as follows:—1, "C" Section, 279 points; 2, "G" Section, 252 points; 3, "F" Section, 245 points. The following represented "C" Section:—2/Lieut. D. M. Richards, L/Cpl. N. A. E. Mackay, and Pte. T. S. D. Whitley.

NEW RULE IN DIVORCE.

FACTS SUITORS MUST REVEAL.

STARTLING FIGURES DISCLOSED.

A new rule in divorce procedure was recently announced by Lord Merrivale in the Divorce Court during an important judgment on the question of "discretion."

In future, petitioners asking for the discretion of the Court will have to lodge a statement disclosing all the material facts relating to their conduct.

The official form will set out the requirement in such a way that no plea of misapprehension can be reasonably made.

Pointing out that there was a general assumption that the sole penalty for suppression of facts or the presentment of falsehood was the recission of the decree, Lord Merrivale said this was not an adequate view.

The offence of contempt of court could be punished without resorting to any specific criminal procedure.

He found the petitioner in the case guilty of contempt.

The case before the court was that in which Mr. Frank Bolton Apted, of East Molesey, petitioned for divorce, alleging that his wife, Mrs. Maud Constance Mary Apted, had committed misconduct with a man named Roy Bliss.

Mr. Apted asked for the discretion of the court in his favour, admitting misconduct with a young woman whom he hoped to marry.

Grave Question.

The case previously had been adjourned for investigation and the Attorney-General considered the matters raised of such importance that he himself attended before the President to review the position.

Lord Merrivale pointed out that the respondent and co-respondent had not appeared. The question of discretion was a grave one, and during this case some startling figures were presented.

In the 52 years from 1857 to 1909 the number of cases in which the exercise of discretion was asked was 45; in the nine years between 1910 and 1919 it was 64; and in the three years between 1926 and 1929 it was 690.

There had been, of course, greatly extended facilities for divorce. The Attorney-General had pointed out that cases were being tried on circuit by other than the regular divorce judges.

Further, the duties of the Divorce Registry officers fell to be discharged by circuit officers who had no ready means of access to ordinary sources of information regarding procedure.

"A Roguish Thing."

There was, the Attorney General had said, "A real danger that the discretion in question might become a roguish thing, variable, to quote an old adage, as the length of a judge's foot."

The case immediately before the Court raised the question of what ought to be the action of the Court when a false presentment of matters had been made knowingly, and where much of the material evidence of the petitioner was untrue.

To define precisely the grounds on which discretion was to be exercised was, said Lord Merrivale, impossible, but there were certain broad principles.

The interests of the community at large in maintaining the sanctity of honest matrimony was a governing consideration.

"In the interests of all straightforward suitors, said Lord Merrivale, announcing the new rule, the facts relating to which discretion was prayed for should be set out in a statement and lodged with the Court.

Lord Merrivale refused to grant a decree. He found Mr. Apted guilty of contempt of court, but said that if the petitioner proceeded promptly to meet the pecuniary liability incurred, specific action might not be taken.

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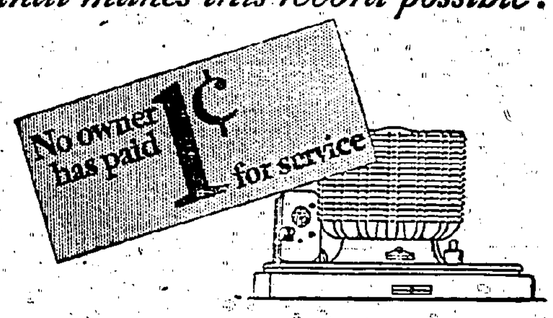

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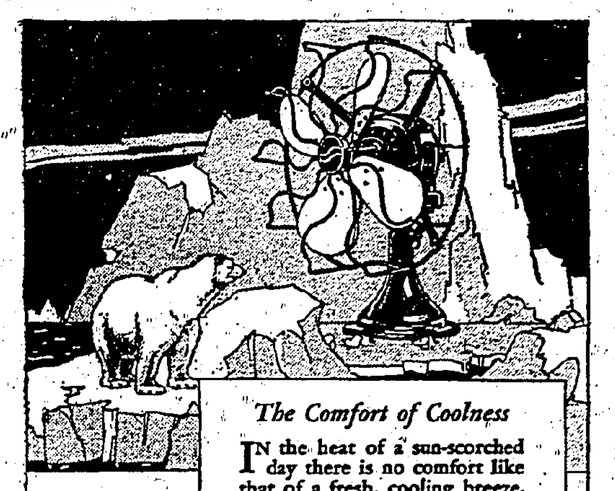

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Waiata Maori and A Maori Slumber Song, Frances Alda (Soprano).
Cryin' for the Carolines and What is this Thing Called Love?, Jesse Crawford (Organ).
Spanish Dance and Hungarian Dance No. 7, Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra.
The Substitute Parson, Charles Sale (Comedian).
When You and I Were Seventeen and June Brought the Roses, John McCormack (Tenor).
Invitation to the Waltz, Alfred Cortet (Piano).
A Year From To-day and There's Danger in Your Eyes, Cherie! James Melton (Tenor).
Rosamunde—Ballet Music and Momenti Musicale, Philadelphia Symphony Orch.
9 p.m.—Weather report and time.
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2. Onestep—"Valencia."
3. Waltz—"Three O'Clock in the Morning."
4. Polka—"Elsa."
5. Lancers—"City of Pleasure."
6. Waltz—"Luxembourg."
7. (10.30 p.m.) Fox Trot—"Knocked 'em In The Old Kent Road."
8. Tango—"Melodiosa."
9. Waltz—"Always."
10. One Step—"Debroy Somers Medley."
11. Fox Trot—"Tea For Two."
12. Waltz—"Merry Widow."

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10.30 p.m.—Close down.

SUNDAY.

11 a.m.—Church Service relayed from Union Church. Preacher, Rev. John Foster. Subject: "How Can We Know About God?" Hymns: 135, 19, 739, 264, 185.
12.05 p.m. (Approx.).—Church Service concludes, follows a Chinese programme until 1 p.m.
1.30 p.m.—Weather report and time.
9 p.m.—Weather report, time and local news.
9 to 10.20 p.m.—European programme of H.M.V. and Victor records selected and supplied by Messrs. Moutrie & Co.
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Concerto for Violencello and Orchestra, Op. 33, The New Symphony Orchestra.
Star of the East and The Garden of Allah, Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone).
My Flame of Love, De Groot (Violin), David Bor (Piano), H. M. Calve (Cello).
The Wedding of the Painted Doll, De Groot and Orch.
Ombra Mai Fu—Largo and The Lost Chord, Essie Ackland (Contralto).
Schon Rosmarin and A Brown Bird Singing, Reginald Foort (Organ).
"Tannhauser" March and Marche Aux Flambeaux, Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.
10.30 p.m.—Close down.

FALSE TEA CHOPS.

CHINESE FINED AT THE MAGISTRACY.

At the Kowloon Magistracy before Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith yesterday, a Chinese youth was charged with unlawfully making use of a trade mark purporting to be that of the Sang Chun tea firm of Fatshan. It was explained by Mr. F. H. Loseby, who appeared for the complainant, that the imitation trade mark was different from the genuine one in two of the characters.

The complainant, Yuen Suet Pun, stated that he was the representative of the Sang Chung firm in Fatshan which deals in medicated tea. The trade mark was used by his firm in selling tea. The characters on the defendant's chop were slightly different from the genuine trade mark.

Inspector Evans told his Worship that on June 25 he visited an unnumbered house in Ash Street, Taikoktsui, and found four bundles of tea wrapped up in Chinese newspapers, one bundle of tea with no cover and a packet of partly-cut labels. There were altogether 23,749 labels.

Defendant said that he was employed by a man named Tong Ting Cheung to pack the tea. He did not know that the labels were false. Defendant said that he wished to call a witness who would testify to his innocence.

The witness in question was then called and stated that he lived in the same house as the defendant. He said that the accused was employed by Tong Ting Cheung as a tea packer. Witness himself was formerly employed there also.

His Worship fined defendant $100 or two months' hard labour, and further ordered him to pay $100 costs, or two months in default of payment. An order was also made for the destruction of the labels and the tea.

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And in the tropics grills and burns:
A glaring sun is shining down
To turn his pink complexion brown.

And many a pirate now he's slain
Upon the glorious Spanish Main,
And many a blue-eyed, fair-haired maiden
In rescued from a "galley" laden.

But, tiring of such doughty deeds
The urging wanderlust now breeds
In him a thirst for Northern seas—
For icebergs and the Valkyries.

With cries of joy he signals "Cold,"
And, leaving the cays of phantom gold,
He soon arrives at Heligoland,
On the way to Iceland's strand.

The Vikings greet him as of old,
The friend of Wulfganger the Bold,
And many a lusty trireme he
Leads gallantry to victory.

But now a tempest breaks the spell—
The ship seems caught in a mighty swell—
And voices, mouthing curious prayers,
Are floating wildly up the stairs!

And then, to tell the honest truth,
The adventures of this wandering youth
Conclude, as midst the waters roar,
His mother lands him on the floor.

The Dreadnought's sails back home at last,
With valorous deeds and dangers past,
And Peter sails the vasty deep
In dreams, for now he is asleep.

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WOMAN'S CORNER.

PILLOWSLIP FASTENINGS.

THE CONTINENTAL PLAN.

Most housewives use the American style of pillowslip nowadays, but there are many who do not find these perfectly satisfactory. The pillow has a tendency to work itself out of the slip, and the loose end often shows itself untidily in the morning. The alternative of ordinary buttons and buttonholes is even worse, as the pillowslips and buttons are often ruined when they come back from the laundry and the cushion nearly always bulges out in an unsightly manner.

A good combination of the two methods of fastening is an idea which comes from the Continent. When the pillow is made a double separate strip of the same material, about two inches wide and the same length as the narrow side of the cover, should also be made and a row of buttons sewn on to this. The linen slip itself should have two rows of buttonholes in corresponding positions on each open end where the fastening is to be made. To fasten the slip the buttoned strip is slipped inside and each button placed through the two buttonholes. The buttons and buttonholes should, of course, be placed equal distances apart. This makes a firm and neat fastening, with the buttons quite separate for laundering purposes. There are no broken buttons or torn pillowslips, and as the buttons do not go to the laundry pretty buttons to match the counterpane can be used.

THE MATTER OF EARRINGS.

Very large earrings have come in again, and some of them are so big that they have ceased to depend upon the ear altogether. Rather have they become an ornament for the hat which may be worn in almost any manner, provided there is some suggestion of the ear. With the fashion for berets in season and out, the earrings has come to be something of a supplement. Where the beret is pulled down over one ear an earring is often fastened inside, and it may dangle till it almost touches the shoulder. Sometimes, indeed, it is put on openly outside the beret, and becomes less an earring than a hat ornament. With the big hats the earring almost takes the place of strings or it looks like the cords of a cardinal's hat. Big floppy hats often have gold or

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COSTUME JEWELLERY.

REAL AND IMITATION.

Jewellery formed of real gems is worn again, but the imitation jewellery introduced a few years ago and known as "costume jewellery" is still as fashionable as ever, so much so that both real and imitation jewellery are often worn together by the smartest women. The large stones of coloured glass surrounded by paste are worn as brooches, earrings, necklaces, and fob pendants, while real jewellery and semi-precious stones are used in the same way. The only form in which frankly imitation jewellery is not tolerated by fashion is in finger rings.

Enamel brooches and pendants, prettily coloured and surrounded by paste brilliants, with a touch of black enamel introduced, are being worn. Crystal is also in the fashion picture, as is real amber, both dark and cloudy. Coloured stones in all shades of blue are also popular for chokers and necklaces to wear with blue evening frocks. Jade is fashionable with beige and white frocks, and amber is worn with all tones of brown.

Jet is enjoying a great vogue, and is made up with crystals, and with coloured stones, to which it gives a contrast. Onyx is used with pearls (which gives a charming effect) with gold and silver filagree and with crystals. Turquoise matrix, a semi-precious stone, is fashionable for necklaces and earrings, and is usually linked together with silver filagree. Jade is treated in the same way.

Little brooches are again worn in hats and berets, and sometimes form the only trimming on the hat. Jewellery sets are popular, and consist of brooch, earrings, and necklace, or choker and bracelets, to match.

jewelled ornaments fastened inside the crown, just where the ear would come, and these ornaments dangle down to a little way down the neck. Crown-like hats are sometimes worn, and these are finished off with gold ornaments tucked inside on each side and giving the impression of a Russian headdress. Hats are rarely sold with these ornaments, but it behoves every wearer of certain new hats to find the earrings which go with it and then transfer them from the ear to the hat. Hats can thus be as plain as possible with the earrings one or both sides, according to the shape, to provide them and their wearers with decoration.

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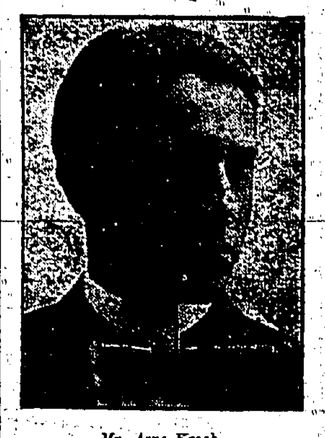

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RECKLESS DRIVING.—CHINESE YOUTH FINED.

A Chinese owner driver was fined $25 by Mr. R. E. Lindsell yesterday for dangerous driving on the Island Road on June 28.

Giving evidence Mr. R. A. D. Forrest stated that on the night of June 28 he was driving up from Repulse Bay on the road leading towards Wanchai Gap. He was on a straight road and was proceeding at about 20 miles per hour when the defendant overtook him at a speed which Mr. Forrest placed at between 25 to 30 miles per hour.

Just as the defendant's car passed him, Mr. Forrest saw another car appear round the bend in an opposite direction. The defendant had to swerve sharply and in doing so came into Mr. Forrest's way making it necessary for the latter to put on his brakes.

Defenant maintained that he had passed defendant on a straight road about 100 yards from the bend. A witness who was on defendant's car at the time corroborated this, and explained that Mr. Forrest put on his brakes because he was frightened.

He Worship imposed a fine of $25.

GOLDSMITH'S SHOP BURGLED.

THREE MEN SENTENCED.

Convictions were registered against all the three men, who were charged in connection with the larceny of jewellery and other articles at 70, Main Street, Kowloon City, when they again appeared before Mr. Whyte-Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. The first and second defendants were each sentenced to three months' hard labour for larceny, while the third defendant was fined $250 for receiving.

An apprentice of a goldsmith's shop stated that on the night of May 31, he was present when the first and second defendants crossed over to No. 70, Main Street from the roof of No. 62, Main Street.

In a statement made to the Police, the first defendant admitted having stolen the jewellery, but intimated that he did so at the instigation of the second defendant.

Mr. Loseby, for the second and third defendants, submitted that the third defendant had no case to answer. The only evidence against this accused, he said, was that he was successful in locating the stolen property in his premises. Mr. Loseby argued that that evidence alone was not sufficient to convict the third defendant.

The third accused explained that the bundle containing the jewels was left on his premises by the second defendant; he did not know what the parcel contained.

His Worship decided to convict and passed sentences as stated above.

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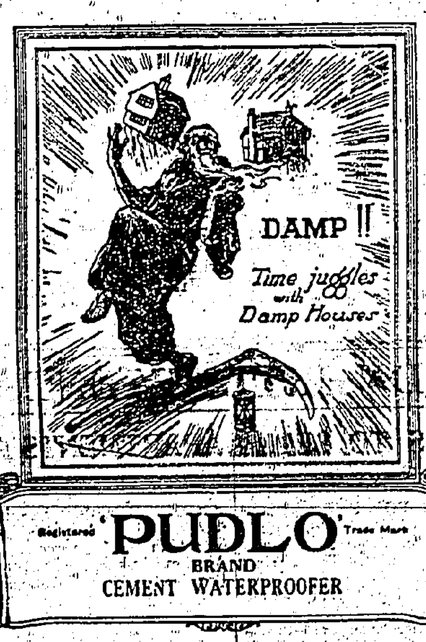

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STRAINED FRANCO-GERMAN RELATIONS.

DEADLOCK IN SAAR NEGOTIATIONS.

SERIOUS DISORDERS IN THE RHINELAND.

Paris, July 4.—The Senate's foreign affairs committee to-day discussed the Saar question in connection with the report submitted by the French members of the commission which, during the past few months, tried to prepare an agreement on the solution of the Saar problem before the term fixed in the Versailles treaty. The report advocates the formation of a mixed Franco-German company to take over the Saar mines. The discussion will be continued on Wednesday next. Meanwhile a questionnaire has been drafted which will be submitted to the government, together with an invitation to Premier Tardieu and Foreign Minister Briand to attend Wednesday's meeting.

German Disappointment.

Berlin, July 4.—The Franco-German negotiations on the Saar question which, it had hoped, would result in the return of that territory to Germany before the date set by the treaty of Versailles, appear to have reached an impasse which may render it necessary to abandon them altogether or at least to adjourn them for the time being, much to the disappointment of the whole nation, especially at the present moment. The difficulty is due to France's insistence on having the ownership of the coalmines in the Saar district divided between herself and Germany, a demand which the German Government finds impossible to agree to, inspite of its earnest desire to come to an early and full understanding with France.

Precautions on Ruhr.

Mayence, July 4.—The situation in the zones evacuated a few days ago by the French troops is still rather strained. It is believed that acts of violence against those actually or allegedly connected with the abortive separatist movement had been carefully organized by extreme nationalist organizations outside the Rhineland, their calculations including the stirring-up of diplomatic trouble for the present Reichs government.

Further police-reinforcements are being hurried to Wiesbaden and Mayence from outside the formerly occupied zone, notably from Frankfurt. That outside rowdy elements rather than the local population are responsible for the movement is shown by the senseless destruction of property, the sacking of houses, shops and offices even of persons entirely unconnected with the separatist movement but objectionable to the extremists of the Right.

DISORDERS IN THE RHINELAND.

Mayence, July 5.—The numerous acts of violence recently perpetrated by adherents of the National-Socialist Party have caused the government of Baden to follow the example set a few days ago by the Prussian Government in prohibiting state officials from being members of that party. Several teachers who refused to leave the party immediately have already been suspended from their posts and will be dismissed.

Unfortunately the reinforcements of the police sent from Frankfurt and Cassel have proved unable to maintain order in Wiesbaden and Frankenthal where the Nationalist extremist bands have resumed their work of wreaking vengeance on alleged former adherents of the separatist movement in the Rhineland.

Several were seriously and a number of others slightly injured in these attacks. The city of Wiesbaden already resembles a place under martial law with police patrols posted every twenty yards in the streets. The authorities are straining every nerve to suppress the movement. Police were rushed to the village of Kloppenheim where they just succeeded in rescuing a whole family besieged by rowdies whom they kept at a distance by rifle fire till the police arrived.

Campaign of Rowdyism.

While the German Republican Press condemns these outrages in the strongest terms as unworthy of the good name of the nation, the campaign of the rowdies has, as was to be feared, already badly reacted on feelings abroad. The French Foreign Minister, M. Briand, in an interview with the German Ambassador having expressed the view that the reprisals against the Rhineland separatists were incompatible with Franco-German treaties and conventions to which the German Ambassador could only reply that the German Government also greatly regretted these incidents, to prevent and counteract which it had done and was doing all in its power.

Cologne, July 5.—During aerial demonstrations in honour of the Rhineland a regrettable series of mishaps occurred to a number of [illegible] participating. A sudden thunderstorm scattered the balloons over the countryside and forced three of them down in the middle of villages where a considerable number of people were injured.

Reported Demarche by M. Briand.

Berlin, July 6.—Political circles here are rather sceptical regarding the reports published in the Paris Press to the effect that the French Foreign Minister is contemplating a diplomatic *démarche* at Berlin in connection with the antiseparatist demonstrations which happened at Wiesbaden and other places after their evacuation by the French troops because, it is pointed out here, the German Government only undertook the obligation to refrain from measures of official prosecution in regard to the separatists, an undertaking which has not been violated.

It is further emphasized that the police were naturally instructed beforehand to prevent acts of violence but in many cases were unable to resist effectively the first surprise attacks organized by the extreme nationalists because the German police forces could enter the evacuated zone only after the final departure of the French troops of occupation.

Meanwhile the Press of nearly all political shades condemns the excesses which have occurred in the Rhineland during the past few days but at the same time expresses astonishment at the apparent belief of the separatists that the past could at once be forgotten and forgiven by the more hotheaded nationalist elements which exist in any country. Even those, it is emphasized by the Press, who most eagerly desire peaceful and friendly relations with France cannot be asked to forget the attempts of the separatists, protected and assisted as they were by the French occupation authorities, to destroy the unity and very existence of the German Reich though violence can under no circumstances be permitted even against the most disliked political opponent.

GERMANY'S FOREIGN POLICY.

DR. CURTIUS CRITICIZES THE LEAGUE.

Berlin, July 3.—That, following the evacuation of the Rhineland by the last foreign soldier, the men in control of the German Republic's foreign policy had any malevolent intentions, was firmly refuted by the Foreign Minister, Dr. Curtius, in a speech before the Reichstag. With the liberation of the Rhineland which had been a most urgent and pressing task, the Reich's policy, he declared, entered upon a new phase on the basis of a better international atmosphere. The principles underlying that policy were to strive for the Reich's full political freedom and equality in spheres where they had not yet been regained, to promote international understanding, giving full scope to the country's vital interests, though never forgetting that the reconstruction of the foreign policy cannot and must not be divorced from the consolidation of peace "which, therefore, remains our highest aim."

Eyes Towards the Saar.

These ideals, Dr. Curtius continued, are identical with Europe's best interests so that Germany is in the happy position that a gulf can never open between her own particular interests and those of Europe as a whole. Furthermore, he declared, in any future European groupings Germany would always be found on the side of progress and equality. The Minister also emphasized the Reich's determination to honour all obligations, adding that he was convinced that the former Allies would also honour theirs and in particular would redeem their promise to liquidate the war, in which connection he referred to the Franco-German Saar negotiations, which, he hoped, would come to an early and successful conclusion, although Germany had nothing to fear from a plebiscite which five years hence would determine the fate of the Saar and its inhabitants.

Failure of the League.

Dealing with the League of Nations Dr. Curtius expressed regret that in the last analysis this great organization had been stagnant since its inception notwithstanding the vast amount of technical details accomplished, "the *principle of equality* being not generally applied within the League and as regards its work in the domains of disarmament, economic co-operation, protection of national minorities and other vitally important issues: the criticism levelled against this institution is unfortunately too justified."

Regarding M. Briand's Pan-European memorandum, Dr. Curtius announced an early German reply, the nature of which however, he did not divulge beyond the declaration that Germany was in favour of all measures making for a greater solidarity among the nations of Europe, emphasizing at the same time that, unfortunately, there was still a vast number of obstacles in the path leading to the realization of M. Briand's proposal.

Soviet Congratulations.

Moscow, July 3.—The Acting Commissionary for Foreign Affairs, Comrade Litvinow, has sent a telegram to the German Foreign Minister congratulating the German Government on the liberation of the Rhineland from foreign troops. The message recalls the fact that the Soviet Government at the time issued a strong protest against the occupation.

PRUSSIAN SOCIALIST BREAK-UP.

Berlin, July 3.—The Prussian Premier, Herr Otto Braun, issued an order to-day forbidding any Prussian state official to be a member either of the Communist or the National-Socialist parties as both avowedly aimed at the overthrow of the present Republican *régime*.

Meanwhile the break-up of the National-Socialist Party seems to proceed even quicker than had been expected, twenty-five leaders and officials of the party in Berlin alone having just issued a manifesto announcing their resignation from the party and the founding of a new "National-Revolutionary Labour Party."

The manifesto claims that the National-Socialist Party has been unfaithful to its original principles which includes: the rejection of the monarchist principle, opposition to any war against Soviet Russia, support of the Indian and any war against Soviet imperialist states, the fight against the capitalistic *régime* and for the creation of a German Socialist state and a consequent abstention from a coalition with capitalist parties. The signatories, who believe that thousands of the working-class adherents of the National-Socialist Party will follow their example declare that they will continue to uphold those principles and strive for a national revolution.

Mayence, July 4.—The drastic measures taken by the local and state authorities have so far effectively checked any action by the mob against persons concerned in or suspected of sympathies with the abortive separatist movement in the Rhineland, who hitherto enjoyed the protection of the occupation authorities.

Revolutionary Party's Programme.

Berlin, July 4.—The newly formed "National-Revolutionary Labour Party" which in the main comprises former members of the National-Socialist Party to-day published its programme which was drafted in a secret session of its executive committee of which, Press reports state, the old "diehard" Count Reventlow is a member. The programme includes the following points: attainment by revolutionary means of a German Soviet state; the nationalization of all land, industry and trade; the agrarian colonization of the eastern marshes; the substitution of the old Germanic common law for the Roman civil law; the fight against the "enslavement-treaties from Versailles to the Young Plan"; an alliance with Soviet Russia; support for all revolts directed at creating a common front of the oppressed nations and classes; class-warfare on all upholders of private property rights; and the substitution of the people's revolutionary militia for the present standing army.

ADVICE FOR INVESTORS.

READERS are reminded that inquiries relating to the share market are answered on page 12 every Tuesday by "Kufan." Letters should be sent to this office, and must be accompanied by the coupon appearing below, bearing the writer's name and address, not for publication. Letters should be addressed to "Kufan," care of the Editor, "*Hong Kong Daily Press.*"

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THAT "SPORTING OFFER."

[TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONG KONG DAILY PRESS."]

SIR,—I shall have to decline the "sporting offer" made by a writer in your correspondence columns yesterday, because by carefully detaching a quotation from its context, an entirely erroneous impression of the passage was given. Under the circumstances, I trust you will kindly permit a brief correction.

The sentence quoted from the Christian Science text-book was:—"The blood, heart, lungs, brain, etc., have nothing to do with life." But what Mrs. Eddy has actually written on page 131 of "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," is: "The blood, heart, lungs, brain, etc., have nothing to do with Life, God." The word "Life" here (spelled with a capital "L") is synonymous with God, in Christian Science.

This statement is in accord with the words of the Master: "It is the spirit (God) that quickeneth; the flesh profiteth nothing: the words that I speak unto you, they are spirit, and they are life." Christian Science teaches that man is the spiritual image of God as described in the first chapter of Genesis. That man is that which is born of the Spirit; he is purely spiritual. When Nicodemus came by night to the great Nazarene, he was told by Jesus: "That which is born of the flesh is flesh; and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. . . . Ye must be born again."

All friends of Christian Science appreciated your action in publishing a brief report of the annual meeting of The Mother Church. As stated in that report, it is quite correct that religionists of other denominations, particularly those having charge of young people, have taken greater interest in Christian Science. Which goes to show that they are recognizing Christian Science to be a religion of results and therefore of vital interest to all people, young and old.—Sincerely yours,

WILLIAM H. ADLER.
Christian Science Committee on Publication for Hong Kong and Canton.

Hong Kong, July 11.

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TONG KA WAN.

OPENING CEREMONY POSTPONED.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

CANTON, July 11.

Owing to certain arrangements not being ready, the Committee for the Development of Tong Ka Wan into a world duty-free port has extended the date from July 20 to August 3 for the opening ceremony, after which actual construction will take place.

According to the Committee, the recent continual heavy rain at Tong Ka Wan has hindered much of the preparations in progress. The roads are very bad, and the ground is muddy and slippery. All this made it necessary to postpone the opening ceremony to two weeks later. A circular notice to this effect has been sent out to Mr. Sun Fo, Mr. Wu Teh Shing, General Chang Wai Cheung and other prominent officials at Nanking, who are directly connected with the Tong Ka Wan development scheme. These gentlemen are expected to return to Canton and take an active part in the opening ceremony at Tong Ka Wan.

Thousands of prominent people from all parts of China have been cordially invited to attend the opening ceremony. The s.s. Venezia has been chartered to convey the visitors free of charge to and from Tong Ka Wan. The boat will leave Canton at 7 o'clock in the morning on August 3 for Chungshan port and will return at 6 p.m. on the same day. The invited guests may also start for Tong Ka Wan from Hong Kong *via* Macao by any one of the regular boats on the Hong Kong-Macao run. When they arrive in Macao, they may proceed to Tong Ka Wan in any one of the motor lorries provided by the Committee free of charge. Guides will be on duty at the Macao wharf to direct the guests and visitors. Again, the guests may, if they choose, leave Canton in a Shekki junk the night before the opening ceremony, that is, on August 2. The junk will arrive in Sheki early the next morning. From there they can proceed to Tong Ka Wan by automobile provided by the Committee free of charge. This latter journey requires two hours. As in the case of the guests going *via* Macao, guides will be on duty at the wharf to welcome the visitors and direct them to Tong Ka Wan.

HONAM-CANTON BRIDGE.

FOUNDATION-STONE LAID.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

CANTON, July 11.

The foundation-stone commemorating the construction of the steel-concrete bridge connecting Honam and Canton proper at Wai Sun Road was formally laid by Mayor Lin Wan Koi amid an impressive ceremony yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

An exquisite pailau covering a large area was erected for the occasion.

Practically every official of the Municipal Government, from the Mayor downward, was present at the gathering.

The foundation-stone measures five feet in height and one foot in width, and is cemented at the side of Wai Sun Road close to the bridge under construction.

Stupendous Engineering Undertaking.

In his opening speech, Mayor Lin said that the steel-concrete bridge is one of the most stupendous engineering undertakings in Canton. Work has been going on regularly ever since last December, and the bridge will be completed in about a year and a half.

The speaker then went on to lay stress on the importance of such a bridge, maintaining that it is indispensable to the growth and prosperity of Canton. "Canton," he said, "is a world port, and the most important commercial centre in South China. Later on it will be directly connected by rail with Hankow and other big commercial centres in North China. It is also an important shipping centre. Dr. Sun had long conceived the idea of developing Canton into a world port, and had drawn up some comprehensive plans towards this end. The city being such an important commercial centre the construction of a steel-concrete bridge spanning the Pearl River has long been felt to be indispensable."

A wooden model of the bridge under construction, showing exactly what it will be like and how it will operate when it is completed, was on display.

"HANDS OFF" POLICY BY CHANG.

MANCHURIA REFUSES TO TAKE SIDES.

REVIEW OF NORTHERN SITUATION.

A Chinese message from Mukden states that there is now no more talk about the mobilization of the Manchurian troops to participate in the fighting between the Nanking Government and the Northern coalition. Chang Hsueh Liang, who is staying at the summer resort of Peitaiho, is still undecided owing to the opposition of the senior leaders in Manchuria.

It should be noticed that there are two parties among the leaders of Manchuria—the New Party and the Old Party. The former party is headed by Chang Hsueh Liang, and its supporters include the younger generals, while the Old Party is headed by Chang Tso Hsiang, the Governor of Kirin, who is supported by the senior and conservative generals and officials, including General Tang Yu Lin, the Jehol Governor, and General Chang Ching Wei. The Old Party has expressed strong disapproval of Chang Hsueh Liang's proposal to participate in fighting south of the Great Wall.

Advantages of Sitting on the Fence.

Though Manchuria has hitherto adopted a "hands-off" policy, the Mukden Government has already obtained many advantages from the two factions, both of which are trying to secure the support of Chang. It will be remembered that Yen Hsi Shan gave up Tsingtao and Kiaochow in Shanghai to be controlled by the Manchurian gunboats. Yen has also decided to appoint Chang's bossom friend, Shih Yu San, as Governor of Shantung. The Mukden Government has also obtained the administration and revenues of the Customs at Chinwangtao, which the Nanking Government ordered to be placed under the control of the Customs authorities at Yingkow to prevent possible seizure by Yen Hsi Shan.

Serious fighting continues near Yenchow in Shantung on the Tientsin-Pukow Railway. The Nanking forces claim to have recaptured Kofow and Taiwenkow, and to have forced the Shansi invaders to fall back northward. Marshal Chiang Kai Shek has ordered his troops to recapture Tsinan in ten days. Yen Hsi Shan is reported to be in Tsinan directing military affairs. Recently the Shansi troops organised a "dare-to-die" corps, which will be armed with broad swords, to serve as shock troops.

Aerial Battle.

There was a great battle between three Nanking and five Shansi 'planes near Yenchow on Thursday, when Machine gunfire was exchanged. Troops below watched the fighting with keen interest, and one of the Shansi aeroplanes was finally brought down after the pilot was shot. The rest of the Shansi 'planes quickly left the scene.

In view of the critical situation at Yenchow, martial law has been declared at Hsuchow, the headquarters of the Nanking troops. General Kin Han Ting's Kiangsi division has been rushed to Yenchow as reinforcements.

"Red Spears" Recruited.

On the Kiaochow-Tsinan Railway in Shantung, severe fighting is reported. Two aeroplanes have been dispatched from Nanking to assist Han Fu Chu's troops which are concentrating at Weihsien. Han has enlisted 5,000 bandits known as the "Red Spears," and has wired Nanking asking for rifles and ammunition for the newly enlisted men. The Shansi troops on this sector have established their headquarters at Chowtsun.

The situation along the Lunghai and the Peiping-Hankow Railways remain quiet, no fighting being reported. Feng Yu Hsiang has dispatched two divisions of Kansu troops to reinforce the Kuominchun who are fighting along the Peiping-Hankow Railway. They have arrived at Hsuchang.

WOMAN MURDERED IN WANCHAI.

EARLY MORNING TRAGEDY AT A BROTHEL.

"RED HAIRED WOMAN."

An old woman of sixty-two was murdered at 6 a.m. yesterday in a brothel on the first floor of 14, Swatow Lane. The victim was described as a brothel-mistress and was nicknamed Hung Mo Po, which literally means "Red Haired Woman."

Living with the murdered woman were three girls and an amah, and on Thursday night they received a visitor who stayed all night. Shortly after six o'clock yesterday morning, the amah left the house to do her marketing, leaving the stranger and the four women in the house.

A cry emanating from the old woman's cubicle was the first indication that something was amiss. The other inmates of the flat hastily got out of bed and saw the woman staggerng on to a passage outside and crying "Save Life." She collapsed almost immediately and died with a few minutes.

The police were immediately communicated with and they found that the woman had a stab-wound on her right shoulder and several cuts on the left hand. There was also a deep wound in the neck. They also come upon a file—a kind of improvised dagger—which was apparently the instrument used for the dastardly crime.

In the cubicle where the old woman slept there were obvious signs of a struggle. After the usual photographs had been taken, the body was removed to the public mortuary. The police carried out their usual interrogation of the inmates and others who might possibly be of assistance.

LAZY SERVANTS.

DUMPING RUBBISH IN THE STREETS.

An amah and a boy employed at 4, Kimberley Road, were each fined $10 by Mr. Whyte-Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday for dumping rubbish in the streets on Thursday night.

Sanitary Inspector Roylance stated that defendants wrapped the refuse up in paper. The practise was quite frequent in some quarters, and was a source of great nuisance.

An employee of 5, Kimberley Road, was also fined $10 for a similar offence. This man stated that he was unable to pay, and was ordered to be detained in the cells till the Court rose.

COXSWAIN HEAVILY FINED.

LAME EXCUSE FOR SERIOUS OFFENCE.

When the coxswain of a launch appeared before the Marine Magistrate yesterday on the charge of failing to exhibit a starboard light whilst his vessel was under way, he gave the excuse that he had a light originally but a gust of wind blew it out.

The Magistrate said that he always took a serious view of such offences as it was a very dangerous thing to do. He accordingly imposed a fine of $50 with the alternative of a month's imprisonment.

NEW LAUNCHES FOR YAUMATI RUN.

"MANCHI" AND "MANTAK" READY FOR DELIVERY.

The ferry launches Manchi and Mantak, which were constructed by the Hong Kong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd., for the Yaumati Ferry Company, were subjected to their trial runs on Thursday, when they proved highly satisfactory. They will be delivered to the Ferry Company in about two weeks' time, thus augmenting their service between Hong Kong and Yaumati. They are similar in design to the Star Ferry launches.

ABERDEEN MOTOR ACCIDENT.

POLICE EVIDENCE ON LORRY'S BRAKES.

WITNESS EXPLAINS CAUSE OF ACCIDENT.

The driver of the lorry which was involved in a motor accident at Aberdeen recently, as a result of which two persons died, was again before Mr. R. E. Lindsell yesterday on a charge of manslaughter.

Mr. H. Somerset Fitzroy, assistant Attorney-General prosecuted, and Mr. Horace Lo appeared for the defence.

Acting Sub-Inspector Saunders, in the course of his evidence, stated that he tested the lorry and found that the lorry was not fit to be driven at any more than 20 miles an hour, but that it was his opinion that at the time of the accident it must have been travelling at 30 miles an hour.

Mr. Lindsell: Apart from the accident, would you consider that a dangerous speed to drive at on that part of the road?—Yes, 30 miles an hour is an excessive speed.

Is it an excessive speed for a lorry in any circumstance?—Yes, in any circumstance.

Mr. Fitzroy: Especially in a down grade?—Yes.

Continuing, witness said that he had tested both the foot and hand brakes. Both were in good working order. The chassis was intact. At 20 miles an hour, the lorry was stopped in 18 feet by means of the foot brake and in four feet when the hand brake was applied.

Steering Gear Slack.

The steering of the lorry was not too good and it was difficult to control owing to slackness. The effect of the loose steering wheel was that it was difficult for the lorry to keep a straight course at anything over 20 miles an hour except in a straight and level road.

Fung Iu Nam, who was a passenger beside the driver on the day of the accident, stated that he was a visitor to the Colony, and that he slept overnight in the defendant's garage on the night prior to the accident. In the morning he went with the defendant on the lorry and picked up a number of coolies near the Saiyingpun Post Office.

The witness stated that just before the accident, a woman appeared on the road. She meant to cross and the lorry swerved to avoid her. It wobbled visibly, and defendant could not recollect very much more, except that the lorry turned completely over and he was buried underneath. He said that he himself was a stranger in Hong Kong and was not speaking to the driver at the time of the accident, as he was occupied with studying the scenery.

At the close of this witness' evidence, the case was adjournel.

DISAGREEMENT OVER CONTRACT PRICE.

CONTRACTOR'S CLAIM UPHELD.

Further evidence was called by the defence yesterday in the Summary Court action in which Kwat Tsz Company, carrying on a restaurant business at 454, Queen's Road West, were sued by the Keung Yung Kan, trading as the Leung Hop Hing Kan Kee, for balance due for renovating the premises.

Plaintiff claimed a balance of $394.45 on the ground that the total of the contract was $1,594.45, Defendant had paid $1,200 and denied further liability, alleging that the plaintiff had agreed to carry out the work for that amount.

Mr. E. el Arculli appeared for plaintiff and Mr. F. X. d'Almada, jnr., for the defendant firm.

After further evidence by defendant's witnesses, Mr. d'Almada submitted that the evidence of the defence should be accepted in preference to that of the plaintiff, who had made denials in the witness-box even as to the taking of measurements of the premises before doing the work. The plaintiff had stated that he was given *carte blanche* in doing the work without indicating what the cost would be. Mr. d'Almada said that such a course was unusual in dealing with a contractor, who could send a bill for any amount he liked.

His Lordship pointed out that the plaintiff claimed to have been authorised to proceed with the work and to make a reasonable charge. After the work was completed, an account was sent to the defendant, who appeared to have raised no question regarding the amount. Judgment was given for the plaintiff with costs.

NICOLA'S MAGIC.

ESCAPE FROM STRAIT-JACKET IN MID-AIR.

LARGE CROWD WITNESSES DARING PERFORMANCE.

If a stranger to the Colony passed along the waterfront near the Post Office at tiffin-time yesterday, he or she would have thought that we were preparing a right royal welcome to some distinguished person about to land at Blake Pier, for this part of the town was crowded with people of all nationalities.

But such was not the case; there was no welcome to anybody whatsoever, and the crowd had only collected to see the great Nicola do one of his many clever stunts. This was to take the form of freeing himself from a strait-jacket whilst suspended at a great height, and as such sights are not very common in this part of the world, no wonder every body was anxious to have a "look see."

The stunt was timed to come off at 1 p.m., but there was a slight delay and it was not till a few minutes after the scheduled time that the magician got into the jacket, and was strapped in by one or two of his assistants together with an officer of the Fire Brigade.

He was then hoisted into the air on the turntable ladder of one of the fire appliances, and although he was securely bound hand and foot, he freed himself in something less than five minutes amid much applause. It was indeed a smart piece of work, as the magician was hanging with his head downward, and it could not have been very comfortable looking down on the jumping sheet held in readiness by a squad of firemen!

Hot Work!

Nicola came down again sweating all over and almost his first words were "Not very nice work for hot weather!", and judging by the way he had to twist and wriggle about in the endeavour to free himself, one is inclined to agree with him.

Asked by a *Daily Press* representative why he chose that locality to do his stunt, the magician said that it was because the harbour, the piers and some of the principal buildings could be included in the pictures which he had taken. "That will be something uncommon when the film is shown in America," he explained, "and it is always better to have as much local colour in any film of this nature as possible. Besides I had an excellent view of the Harbour up there, and if anybody likes to have a try at it, why, I can thoroughly recommend it."

Nicola ended up the conversation by saying that he deeply appreciated the careful and efficient way in which Superintendent Brooks and his officers handled everything, and the pains they took to ensure his safety should anything unexpected happen.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

MURDER CASE INCLUDED IN THE CALENDAR.

There are seven cases in this month's Criminal Sessions calendar which will open at the Supreme Court next Monday. Four of the cases refer to robbery and wounding, while two of the accused will have to answer separate indictments under the Banishment Ordinance. The trial of a Chinese in connection with the murder at the Hung Tak Bank has been included in the present Sessions.

It is understood that the murder trial will commence before the Chief Justice on Tuesday morning. The other cases will be taken by the Puisne Judge.

Ho Yan will be charged with the theft of clothing, the property of Fung Ching Yee. Accused has to face another charge of returning from banishment.

Li Sing, *alias* Li Fok Kwan, will be charged with theft of clothing and money in a dwelling house on the night of June 26-27, and on a further count of receiving stolen property. Returning to the Colony during his period of deportation is another indictment against the accused.

A charge of wounding a woman named Yim Chi with intent to do her grievous bodily harm, with an alternative count of maliciously wounding the woman, will be preferred against Ho Yung. The alleged incident occurred on May 12 last.

The trial of Wong Kam is in connection with uttering a $100 note, purporting to be a note issued by the Chartered Bank of India, Australia & China, at the Kum Fat Hotel, Nathan Road, on May 17, 1930. There is another count of obtaining $70 by uttering the note, knowing same to be forged.

Li Man Pun will be indicted with the murder of Fung Sik Cheuk at the Hung Tak Bank on May 24, 1930.

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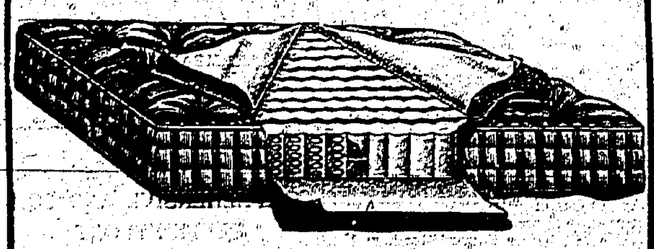

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

FOR Reasons given to Shareholders at the Annual General Meeting of the Company, held on 7th MAY, 1930, the Directors have decided to CANCEL all the Existing Share Certificates and to REPLACE them by New Share Certificates of a different Colour.

All Shareholders are therefore requested to send their Share Certificates to the Registered Office of the Company at ALEXANDRA BUILDINGS, VICTORIA, in the Colony of HONG KONG, forthwith so that the New Share Certificates may be prepared and issued to them in lieu of the Certificates now held by them which will be Cancelled.

By Order of the Board,
JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.

Hong Kong, 20th June, 1930. [9621

HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that an Interim Dividend of £3 per Share, subject to deduction of Income Tax, has been declared for the HALF YEAR ending 30TH JUNE, 1930, at the Rate of 1/3½ per Dollar.

THE DIVIDEND will be payable on and after MONDAY 11TH AUGUST, 1930, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

THE REGISTER OF SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from MONDAY, 9TH JULY to SATURDAY, 9TH AUGUST (Both Days inclusive), during which period No Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.
V. M. GRAYBURN,
Acting Chief Manager.

Hong Kong 8th July, 1930. [9628

CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN & MORTGAGE CO., LTD.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN & MORTGAGE COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held on WEDNESDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF JULY, 1930, in the Company's Board Room, ALEXANDRA BUILDING, HONG KONG, at 12 O'CLOCK NOON, for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following Resolutions:—

1.—That the Capital of the CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN & MORTGAGE COMPANY, LIMITED, be increased from $3,000,000 to $4,500,000 by the creation of 300,000 Shares of $5.00 each and that the 300,000 Shares of $5.00 each shall each rank for dividend and in all other respects *pari passu* with the existing Shares of the Company.

2.—That in the event of the above Resolution being passed, 294,789 Shares shall be issued and offered in the first instance by the Directors at par to existing Shareholders on the Register of the Company as at the 16th day of July, 1930, rateably in the proporation of ONE Share for every TWO Shares held by such Shareholders, and in the event of any of the said 294,789 Shares not being taken up by the Shareholders within the time stipulated by the Directors, the Board shall be empowered to allot them or dispose of them as they in their discretion deem expedient in the interest of the Company.

NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED From MONDAY, THE 7TH DAY OF JULY, 1930, to WEDNESDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF JULY, 1930, Both Days inclusive.

Dated this Twenty-sixth day of June, 1930.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
D. L. KING,
Secretary.
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PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on MONDAY, the 14TH DAY of JULY, 1930, at 3 P.M., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, of One Lot of CROWN LAND at Prince Edward Road, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of HIS MAJESTY THE KING, for one further term of 75 years.

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WEATHER REPORT.

Yesterday's weather report, forecast and remarks, issued by the Royal Observatory at 5.45 p.m., stated:—

The western typhoon is now central to the west of Hainan Island, moving W.N.W. The eastern typhoon is about 100 miles to the north of Aparri, moving W.N.W.

Local Forecast:—S.E. or variable winds; moderate; fair to showery.

TYPHOON WARNINGS.

The following typhoon warnings have been received by the American Consulate-General from the Manila Observatory:—

Manila, July 11, 10.45 a.m.—Typhoon in about 123deg. Long. E. 19deg. Lat. N., moving W.N.W.

Manila, July 11, 10.45 a.m.—Typhoon in about 141deg. Long. E. 12deg. Lat. N., almost stationary.

Manila, July 11, 10.45 a.m.—Typhoon in about 111deg. Long. E. 19deg. Lat. N., moving W.N.W.

ENGAGEMENT.

Miss KAY DEE, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. DEE A. WING, of Hong Kong, to Mr. ROBERT W. HOLT, of the German Department of Messrs. Ilbert & Co., Ltd., of Shanghai.

BIRTHS.

ABERNATHY.—On July 4, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. GEORGE GRAHAM ABERNATHY, U.S.N., a son.

MARTIN.—On July 26, at Dr. Ulrich's Nursing Home, Mukden, to Mr. and Mrs. J. O. L. MARTIN, a daughter.

NIELSEN.—On July 6, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. E. NIELSEN, a son.

WILLS.—On July 7, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. G. MONTAGUE WILLS, a son.

DEATHS.

BARROS.—On Friday, July 11, at 4 p.m., at her residence, 565, Nathan Road, Kowloon, PURIA LUCIA MONTEIRO, beloved wife of J. C. BARROS. Funeral will pass the Monument to-day at 5.30 p.m. Shanghai and Macao papers please copy.

CASTRO.—On July 5, at the General Hospital, Shanghai, HENRIQUE OSCAR CASTRO, aged 31. Dearly beloved husband of LEONER MARIA CASTRO.

MARTINSON.—On July 6, at Shanghai, ERNEST MARTINSON, beloved husband of ANNIE MARTINSON, aged 47 years.

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BRIGHTER SUNDAYS AT PEITAHO.

UNDER the patronage of General CHANG HSUEH LIANG, of Mukden, and the diplomats and businessmen from Peiping and Tientsin, the summer resort of Peitaho has this summer become the leading resort of North China, and the missionaries who founded the place have been compelled to take a back seat. The old-fashioned gloomy atmosphere of Peitaho has been modified so greatly that Sundays have become much like other days, with residents openly indulging in bridge-playing and even in quaffing alcoholic drinks!

Peitaho has grown so fast, that the missionaries have been unable to control visitors, as they did in the early days. At that time the Rocky Point Association, founded by missionaries, stipulated that any person to whom property was sub-let should agree to observe Sunday as a complete day of rest, and should abstain from playing cards for money or drinking liquors. Those days are gone forever in many parts of Peitaho.

According to long-time residents, Peitaho was "discovered" as a summer resort by British engineers employed on the Peiping-Mukden Railway. Missionaries may own land in China, however, while other foreigners generally may not, and the missionaries developed Peitaho. They bought most of what is now known as Rocky Point, and formed their association. Merchants and others who would agree to behave themselves according to early missionary ideas were given sub-leases. Not long afterwards some "rebels" developed an adjoining section, which was known as the "Sinners' Quarter," while Rocky Point was known as the "Saints' Quarter." That was the beginning of the end of missionary domination.

By 1900, when the Boxer uprising occurred, Peitaho had grown considerably, but the Boxers completely destroyed the place, tearing down houses and breaking up furniture. The whole place was in ruins. With the restoration of order Peitaho began to grow again. The German military adopted the place as a campaign-ground, and constructed a light railway to the beach from the Peiping-Mukden Railway. Later, when the Germans withdrew, the Chinese bought the engines and trucks and removed the line for use in a mine, but subsequently the Mukden Railway constructed a short line.

In the early days, few Chinese went to Peitaho, but shortly after the beginning of the World War some Chinese officials bought up German property there, and gradually the Chinese colony increased until to-day they are a considerable part of the summer population. The missionary association, and other private associations which came later, have built roads, established a small electric-light plant, set up street-lamps, and put in drains. But Peitaho has now completely outgrown these institutions, and there is not enough electricity to go round. A Chinese association (Kung I Hui) has been organized in the West End, and many improvements have been made. Plans are now being laid to provide electricity to the whole place, and build roads and drains everywhere. Last year CHANG HSUEH LIANG visited Peitaho, and liked it so well that he stayed for weeks, with his special train of thirteen cars on the siding. This year he has gone back, and the place has definitely become "fashionable."

DODGING THE CUSTOMS.

If the United States Treasury has its way, in addition to the inspectors, informants, Consular agents, and individual "observers" now operating in Europe, seven "experimental inspectors" will be working on the tourist rush. Consular invoices will be made out correctly and honestly, or the Customs system must be declared a partial failure. The experimental inspectors will work on the ships, in the Consulates, and endeavour to persuade European business-houses that their books must be opened to United States Customs officers for the facilitation of commerce.

Despite the fact that the trade agreement between France and the United States provides for request inspection of company books by American Treasury Attaches, European merchants and manufacturers are loath to open their books to Americans when they are reputed to even withhold them from their own countrymen. French taxation has its peculiarities, and there are few firms who willingly throw open their books just to aid a foreign Power squeeze a little more duty out of the returning citizen. The system of bargaining in Europe, especially where so much "made to order" business exists, makes it difficult for Customs spies to gather exact information on cost and sales prices. Parts of Gothic monuments, old masters, and antique furniture, may be obtained for almost any figure, up or down, but dutiable dresses, jewels, personal articles, men's apparel, optical supplies, etc., are going to be the special prey of Customs observers this year.

The existence of reprisals on the French side may develop if this prying trade becomes too annoying. France now has the protective tariff urge, copied directly from the United States, and while the number of smuggled articles coming in from the United States is relatively few, there is a brisk business which the French inspectors might inaugurate in dealing with automobile-owners. Not a few Americans are attempting to escape the French tariff by working the tryptich privilege, or by buying cars in England and casually driving into France, where they manage to remain an inordinate length of time. Few protests have been registered so far by the French firms, who are naturally anxious to do business with America, but if the U.S. Treasury gets too obstreperous, and begins offering prizes for information leading to proof of falsification, there may be some prizes offered by the French, who take a distinct dislike to anyone prying into their company records, especially a foreigner.

★ News and Views ★

"Seven Years in Soviet Russia" is the title of a new book which will undoubtedly be welcomed all over the world by all those really interested in the problems of that country and their influence on national and international issues. The author is the well-known German journalists, Paul Scheffer, who for seven years represented the Democratic *Berliner Tageblatt* in the Soviet Union but, on account of the critical way in which he used to describe Russian affairs did not get his passport visaed for a return to Moscow when on furlough at home in the latter part of last year. His book which is being published by the Bibliograhic Institute of Leipzig comprises his articles published in the *Berliner Tageblatt* during the last seven years besides a critical analysis of present conditions in Soviet Russia and an essay giving the author's views as to the future development of Soviet-German relations. Mr. Scheffer, it may be noted, is now stationed at Washington as staff-correspondent of the *Berliner Tageblatt*.

In spite of recent strong protests over similar incidents six Polish military aeroplanes again flew over German territory last week. Another Polish 'plane made a number of curves over the town of Deutsch-Eylau, the local railway-station and the barracks. It is feared that a repetition might lead to strong measures being taken against Polish military aeroplanes and pilots when seen over German territory.

The Navy Department announced that it was conducting an official investigation of an extraordinary diary discovered by an American marine in San Antonio, Texas. This diary purports to have been written by a plotter involved in the sinking of the U.S.S. Cyclops in 1918, and to give details of the plot by which the vessel was destroyed. According to the diary, four enemy conspirators were aboard the Cyclops and placed explosives in the engine room, subsequently escaping in a small boat. Some officials believe that this diary, like many other suppposedly war-time documents recently "discovered," is only a hoax.

The situation at Helsingfors was extremely tense last week with the occupation of the capital by the reactionary Lappo bands near at hand. Following the kidnapping of two Communist deputies by armed men, the Minister of the Interior suddenly ordered the arrest of a number of Communist deputies against whom, as officially stated, no charge could be brought, the arrests being merely made to have them under lock and key in order to facilitate the task of the political police.

Reports from Simla indicate the existence of deep dissensions at the congress of the All-Indian Mohammedan League which is considering the attitude to be taken by Indian Mohammedans towards the Simon report. While some of the speakers pleaded for the acceptance of the report, others denounced it in violent terms while a third section, though agreeing with the proposals of the report in general, demanded special safeguards for the interests of the Mohammedan population. Finally it was decided to appoint a special committee to go into the questions raised and to report to the plenary meeting of the congress.

His Holiness the Pope last week granted Austrian Chancellor, Herr Schober, the grand cross of the Order of Pius for signal services rendered to the Catholic Church.

The Duke of York last week visited Weymouth and opened the new bridge over the harbour which has cost £90,000. In doing so the Duke pressed a tric motors capable of lifting the button which started 400-h.p. electric motors capable of lifting the 100-ton spans of the bridge in one and three quarter minutes. Fifteen hundred school children, in pleasure steamers, then passed under the bridge. The Duke of York recalled the visits paid to Weymouth by his ancestor, King George III., and said he admired His Majesty for selecting Weymouth for rest and recreation.

The authorities in Moscow have decreed that henceforth only women are to be employed as tramway and bus-conductors since "women suffice for these second-rate positions." The men hitherto employed in these capacities will be transferred to work in the factories.

A statement issued by the Foreign Office in Prague denies the report that Czecho-slovakia intends shortly to recognize the Soviet Government, but at the same time confesses that negotiations are proceeding for the conclusion of a treaty of commerce with the Soviets. A large part of the press refuses to give too much credit to the official denial and insists that according to private, but reliable information, the negotiations also comprise the bigger issue of diplomatic relations between Prague and Moscow.

A panic was caused among the population of Madrid as well as in Andalusia and Sevilla last week by a number of earthquake-shocks which did heavy damages to houses and bridges although, as far as could be ascertained, nobody was killed.

The Halth Commissioner of Los Angeles, Mr. George Parish, is advising travellers with babies to stay away from Los Angeles until the infantile paralysis which is in evidence there subsides. The situation, according to Mr. Parish, is not serious, but all possible precautions should be taken to prevent the spread of the disease. Parents who can exclude Los Angeles from their itineraries for the present are therefore advised to do so. The city records for June show 84 cases of the disease, six deaths from it being reported.

Stella Walsh, of Cleveland, participating in the National A.A.U. women's meet at Dallas, Texas, established a new world's 100 yard sprint record, her time being 11.1 secs. The former American record was held by Helen Filkey, with 11.4 secs., which she did in 1925 at Chicago.

The Prussian Academy of Science at its annual Leibnitz meeting awarded the Leibnitz gold-medal to the well-known Japanese industrialist Mr. Hajime Hoshi, president of the Hoshi Pharmaceutical Company of Tokyo, in recognition of his great services in assisting German scholars and scientific institutions during the period of inflation as well as of his endeavours to create closer relations between Japanese and German scholars.

Two were killed and many suffered injuries in Mexico City on July 7 when riots occurred between representatives of labour and revolutionary parties during the course of suburban elections. Troops were called out and the rioting was suppressed after some difficulty.

The Government in Warsaw has ordered the prosecution of thirty-three Deputies of the Sejm, belonging to various parties, on a charge of plotting against the security of the state in organising the Cracow congress of the opposition parties. Meanwhile riots have broken out in several places mostly by unemployed people but in part with a revolutionary character. Several were killed in clashes with the police in Silesia.

The authorities in Lisbon have unearthed a plot aiming at the restoration of the monarchy, Prince Duarte Nume being mentioned as candidate for the throne. Four prominent high officers, including General Ameida, have been arrested and interned in the fortress of Elva.

Notwithstanding the bland denials from circles closely connected with the Hapsburg family, the Press insists that during last week Archduke Otto, the eldest son of the ex-Empress Zita, stayed in Geneva for several days whereafter he departed for an unknown destination. Otto's journey has revived the rumours concerning the restoration of the Hapsburg dynasty in Hungary and of his forthcoming engagement with an Italian princess.

Brokers' loans in New York for the week ending July 3 again showed a reduction according to the weekly announcement. The decrease was G.$192,000,000, bringing the total to G.$3,210,000,000 which sets a new low level for 1930, the high having been G.4,294,000,000.

The Berlin Press gives much publicity to a new British embargo on German cherries which is described as piece of hidden protection inasmuch as the noxious fly, *Eryppeta Cerasi*, with whose presence on German cherries the embargo is being justified by the British authorities, is also to be found on British cherries and indeed throughout Europe.

Hollywood's latest sensation is the romantic elopement of Ruth Mix, 17-year-old daughter of Tom Mix, the famous cowboy film star, with Mr. Douglas Gilmore, a film actor. Despite the frantic efforts of her parents to prevent her, Ruth ran away with Gilmore to Yuma, Arizona, and was married by the sheriff there a few moments before her father telephoned asking the sheriff to stop the marriage at all costs. When the news first reached Hollywood that the couple had been married, Mrs. Olive Stokes Mix, the former wife of Tom Mix, announced her intention of starting proceedings to annul the marriage, but finally she decided to forgive the two and give them her blessing. Mr. Mix is also reported to have relented.

Mr. William Buhr, a New York zoologist, has descended 1,426 feet under the sea in a steel ball five miles south of Bermuda. He broke the world's record by descending 800 feet a few days previously.

The American Art Dealers' Association estimates that collectors in the United States spent approximatey £5,000,000 on prints last year. The collecting of prints has become a national hobby, says the association, and many college students buy one print each a month out of their allowance. A bank president spends regularly £2,000 a year on etchings, and one collector alone bought £6,000 worth of etchings last year.

★ Local Notes and Events ★

A coolie employed at Kowloon Dock was killed on Thursday when he was engaged, with others, in removing the steering engine of the Sui An. The engine is believed to have toppled over and pinned the man underneath. When extricated the coolie was dead.

According to a report made to the police, a houseboy employed by Mr. H. E. Strange, of the Sanitary Department, stole $605 in money and a gold watch and chain worth $250 from Mr. Strange's house. The houseboy left a note behind for Mr. Strange in which he admitted the theft.

Convicted of the theft of twelve cement sacks from a contractor in Austin Road, a Chinese was sentenced to three months' hard labour by Mr. Whyte-Smith yesterday. His record showed a previous conviction for theft of cement sacks from the same contractor.

"Far worse to encourage a child to break the law than to break the law yourself," said Mr. Whyte-Smith yesterday to a Chinese who employed a small girl to sell cooked food without a licence. The girl was fined $4, and the man was warned that he would be charged with aiding and abetting if the child was brought before the Court again.

Looking Back 25 Years.

The numerous members of the engineering profession and of the shipping and other interests in Hong Kong and on the China Coast will be pleased to learn that the directors of the Hong Kong Whampoa Dock Co. have appointed Mr. William Wilson, late manager of the Kowloon establishment, to succeed Mr. W. B. Dixon as Acting Chief Manager of the Dock Co. Mr. Wilson is exceedingly popular with the staffs, European and native, at Hunghom.—*Hong Kong Daily Press*, July 12, 1905.

Looking Back 50 Years.

Mr. V. H. Deacon was yesterday, on the motion of Mr. Hayllar, Q.C., admitted on the roll of solicitors in the Supreme Court. Mr. Deacon has come out to join the firm of Messrs. Brereton and Wotton.—*Hong Kong Daily Press*, July 13, 1880.

THIRD TEST MATCH.

WOODFULL WINS THE TOSS: BRADMAN'S BRILLIANT INNINGS.

TATE TAKES JACKSON'S WICKET EARLY ON, BUT BATSMEN PLAY WELL TO WEAR DOWN BOWLING.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, July 10.

Intense interest has been aroused in the Third Test Match which begins at Leeds to-morrow.

Weather Favourable and Pitch Perfect.

The weather prospects at the moment are favourable, and experts declare that the pitch prepared for the match is perfect.

Sutcliffe, Geary and Larwood, who were excluded on account of ill-health, have returned to the team, while Tyldesley and Leyland have also been included.

The Australian team has not yet been selected, although it is certain that Fairfax's illness will not allow him to play.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Ponsford Unable to Play.

LONDON, July 11.

Mr. Kelly, the manager of the Australian team, has announced that Ponsford will not be able to play in the Third Test Match, to be commenced to-day.

Ponsford became indisposed yesterday. His doctor diagnosed his illness as a mild attack of gastritis. He was examined again this morning, when he was pronounced as being unfit to play.

Australians Win the Toss.

LATER.

The Australian team is as follows:—Woodfull, Bradman, Oldfield, Wall, Grimmett, a'Beckett, Hornibrook, Kippax, McCabe, Jackson, Richardson, and Hurwood as twelfth man.

Australia won the toss, and went in to bat.

LATER.

The weather was fine and the wicket firm when Jackson and Woodfull opened Australia's innings in the presence of 25,000 spectators.

The attack was in the hands of Larwood and Tate, and in attempting to hit the latter's fifth delivery, Jackson was caught by Larwood at forward short-leg.

Loud cheers greeted Bradman as he made his way to the wicket to join his captain, and he at once settled down to bright cricket.

Woodfull played a dour innings in contrast to Bradman's dashing play, and the young New South Welshman went about collecting his runs at such a pace that he accomplished the rare feat of scoring a century in a Test match before the lunch interval.

The batsmen got the upper hand and treated the bowling with scant respect, though Woodfull was somewhat slow in getting his runs. He had scored 29 runs and was still not out when play was adjourned for lunch, while Don Bradman's share was 105, not out.

The scores up till then were:—

Australians, First Innings.

W. M. Woodfull, not out	29
A. Jackson, c Larwood, b Tate	1
D. G. Bradman, not out	105
Extras	1
Total (for 1 wicket)	136

CIVIL DISOBEDIENCE OFFENDERS.

OVER FOUR THOUSAND CONVICTED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SIMLA, July 10.

In the Council of State a Government spokesman stated that between April 6 and June 15 a total of 4,377 persons had been convicted in connection with the civil disobedience movement throughout India.

Gandhi Not Likely to be Invited to Conference.

He added that clearly Gandhi could not be invited to the Round-Table Conference, while the unconstitional movement of which he was the chief author was progressing.

Decline in British Cotton Imports.

The total of cotton goods imported from England in April and May decreased by 23½ per cent. compared with the corresponding period last year. This was chiefly owing to the Nationalist boycott against British goods.

TRADE UNIONS GOING TO BERLIN.

REMOVAL OF HEADQUARTERS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

STOCKHOLM, July 10.

The International Trades Union Congress, by 55 votes to 30, has decided to transfer the headquarters of the Trade Union International from Amsterdam to Berlin.

NEW YORK BROKERS SUSPENDED.

INFRINGEMENT OF EXCHANGE RULES.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

NEW YORK, July 10.

The Governing Committee of the New York Stock Exchange has suspended for three years Sutro & Company, one of the largest and longest established brokerage houses, but in no way connected with the international brokerage house of Sutro Brothers & Company, for infringing the rule relating to transactions with a client.

Sutro & Company state that the transactions related to a single client only. These originated at a branch office in charge of a partner who recently resigned.

FEDERATION OF EUROPE.

POLAND WILLING TO PARTICIPATE.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

WARSAW, July 10.

Poland, in common with Spain, Roumania and Italy, has notified her adhesion to M. Briand's memorandum advocating the organisation of a plan for a Federation of Europe.

Poland expresses willingness to participate in a conference in this connection and suggests that this should be held in September.

NOVEL TAXATION SCHEME.

PENALTY FOR WEARING FOREIGN CLOTHES.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

SHANGHAI, July 11.

Sung Zau Kung, who lives in an obscure alleyway, has submitted an ingenious scheme to the Kuomintang Executive by means of which taxes ranging from $50 to $100 annually could be imposed on Chinese who wear foreign clothes.

An allowance of 20 per cent. discount is suggested in the event of anyone wishing to pay the tax five years in advance.

The plan includes an elaborate gradation of the taxes, which are applicable to suits, hats and shoes, etc.

Sung Zau Kung is willing to organise a department for the purpose at a salary of $1,000 per month.

HONG KONG-SWATOW TRADE.

SUSPENSION OF SHIPMENTS.

(*Wah Tsz Yat Pao.*)

It is understood that Chinese merchants in the Colony have received telegrams from Swatow advising them to suspend shipping goods to that port. No reason is given for the suspension.

RUBBER RESTRAINT.

HOLLAND NOT YET DECIDED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

AMSTERDAM, July 11.

Replying to a question in Committee regarding the intentions of the Government anent rubber restriction in the Dutch East Indies, the Minister for the Colonies said that the Government were giving the closest attention to all information, and it had not yet decided upon its attitude.

FRANCE'S NAVAL CONSTRUCTION.

GESTURE TO ITALY DURING NEGOTIATIONS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PARIS, July 10.

M. Briand has informed the Italian Government of France's intention to suspend naval shipbuilding in connection with the 1930 programme until December.

This, he states, will ensure the maintenance of the *status quo* during the Franco-Italian negotiations.

SIR WILLIAM HILARY

WORLD'S LARGEST AND FASTEST LIFEBOAT.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, July 10.

H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, at Dover, christened the world's largest and fastest motor lifeboat, naming the vessel "Sir William Hilary," after the founder of the Lifeboat Institution, who, during his life, was concerned in saving 305 lives.

The President and the Secretary of the French Lifeboat Society attended the function.

The Prince of Wales, in a speech, said the boat stationed at England's gateway to the Continent was to guard against casualties in steamship and aeroplane traffic. Speed was essential in responding to calls for help from aircraft which came down in the Channel, and in designing the new boat these special requirements were borne in mind.

FATAL JOY-RIDE AT SHANGHAI.

CHAUFFEUR CONFUSED BY BLINDING HEADLIGHTS.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

SHANGHAI, July 11.

A sing-song girl was killed in the course of a joy-ride on Hungjao Road when an automobile coming in the opposite direction with blinding headlights confused the chauffeur, resulting in a collision.

Two other girls and two male companions were injured.

LONDON NAVAL PACT.

INTERMINABLE DEBATE IN U.S. SENATE.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

WASHINGTON, July 11.

There has been an interminable debate in the Senate, in which the opponents of the ratification of the Naval Treaty have done their utmost to compel the administration to publish the so-called "secret" documents connected with the treaty, which, according to Senator Robinson and Senator Reed, are merely the coded cable messages between General Dawes, Mr. Stimson and President Hoover, many of which referred to personalities and delegates.

According to the newspapers, the State Department's reason for not publishing them is that General Dawes in these documents was most candid and most vigorous and had discussed the peculiarities and idiosyncrasies of certain foreign diplomats at the London Conference.

The controversy ended by the Senate, by a majority of 53 votes to 4, passing a resolution leaving it to President Hoover to decide the question of publication.

It is expected that President Hoover will offer the documents to the Senate under strict confidence.

FRANCHISE IN THE COLONIES.

THE VOTE REDRESSES INJUSTICES.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, July 10.

Labour and social conditions in the Colonies were discussed at the Colonial Conference to-day when Dr. Drummond Shiels said he thought it was important to see constitutional means provided for the voicing of the inevitable demand in all Colonies for a higher standard of life.

He regretted the restricted franchise in Colonies which had elected bodies, as the vote was the simplest and most effective method of redressing injustices.

ECONOMIC ADVISORY COUNCIL.

PRIME MINISTER PRESIDES.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, July 10.

The Prime Minister presided to-day over a meeting, at his official residence, of the Economic Advisory Council, which was set up in January to co-ordinate the work of departments concerned with economic and industrial matters and to advise the Government on trade matters generally.

In addition to leading members of the Government, including the Chancellor of the Exchequer and the President of the Board of Trade, several distinguished economists and noted industrialists are members of the Council.

An Imperial Sub-Committee of the Council was appointed some months ago under the chairmanship of the well-known steel magnate, Sir Arthur Balfour, who is a member of the Council.

SHANGHAI TRAMCAR WORKERS' STRIKE.

FRENCH POLICE FIRE ON MOB.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

SHANGHAI, July 11.

The French police fired several volleys on a mob of infuriated tram-car strikers who were stoning the cars and smashing windows, injuring five and imperilling others.

The strikers are resorting to a campaign of violence, following their failure to intimidate the Company into conceding their demands.

A mob boarded the tram-cars and wrecked the seats, electric lights and other equipment.

The tram service has been suspended.

The bulk of the rioters escaped into Chinese territory.

WARSHIP OF NEW TYPE.

AMERICA'S NAVY CHIEF'S SECRET.

BATTLE OF GUNS.

A new type of warship was hinted at, recently, by Mr. Adams, the U.S. Navy Secretary.

He was giving evidence before the Senate Naval Committee.

This new ship would, if adopted, facilitate the development of the aeroplane arm of the naval service, and would replace the 8-gun cruiser.

Mr. Adams' possible "new type of vesel" came into the discussion of the London Treaty provision that 25 per cent. of the cruiser tonnage allowed might be fitted with landing platforms.

He returned an evasive answer to a request for particulars, but he said the idea and the proposal were "strictly American."

"As Secretary of the Navy," he added, 'I am clear the Treaty is advantageous to our country."

Asked whether the exemption from limitation of submarines under 600 tons was not dangerous, Mr. Adams answered:—

"No. Not dangerous. If any nation wants to waste its money on them we have not the least objection."

A Bluff Admiral.

Admiral Wm. V. Pratt, Commander of the Battle Fleet, proved a bluff and terse witness.

He admitted he had changed his mind as to the value of the eight-inch guns. He had a very definite reason why he now prefers the six-inch gun.

But he will only divulge it in private.

Still Admiral Pratt has said something about these two guns. His expressed view is:—

"The six-inch gun suits me.

"I say that knowing that if we had any fighting to be done, I'd have to do it.

"The eight-inch gun can only fire about three shots a minute. The six-inch gun can get in 10 or 12 shots in that time.

"Let the six-inch get into action about nightfall, or in a fog. She will eat up the eight-inch.

"You don't have good visibility on the Pacific," remarked Admiral Pratt, winding up his cryptic remarks to the committee about the 6in. and 8in. guns.

VALUE OF WIRELESS TELEPHONY.

USED BY BLUE FUNNEL AGENTS IN JAVA.

Where facilities for wireless telephony exist modern business men are finding this means of communication of increasing value. A conversation of even three minutes, expensive though it may be, offers an opportunity to give and receive a large amount of information in an easier and quicker form than is possible with cabling.

There is a wireless telephone service between Java and Amsterdan and we understand Blue Funnel Line agents in Holland and Java respectively make regular use of this facility with great advantage.

In addition we understand wireless enthusiasts in Hong Kong with suitable sets frequently hear the wireless telephone services operating between London & Australia, Amsterdam & Java and Indo-China & Paris. Montreal & Sydney are also frequently heard conversing together. This is doubtless but the forerunner to similar services to and from Hong Kong in the not distant future.

DIPLOMATIC EQUALITY.

REASON FOR DR. WANG'S DECLARATION.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PEIPING, July 11.

Chu Ao Hsiang commends Dr. C. T. Wang's declaration against the practice of the *doyen* of the Diplomatic Corps speaking on behalf of the Corps. He regrets that he did not say it two or three years ago, but he suggests that Dr. Wang had only taken this action now as an excuse for rejecting the Diplomatic Corps' Note concerning the imposition of the double duties arising from the Tientsin Customs question. He had tremendous difficulty in answering it, as the action was contrary to the treaties, so he found it easier to return it without an answer.

"TIMES" SUGGESTION IS CONSIDERED INOPPORTUNE

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PEIPING, July 11.

The Director for Foreign Affairs for the Northerners declared that the suggestion of the *Times* that the Legations should move from Peiping to Nanking could not have been made at a more inopportune moment, as such a transfer would convey the impression that the Powers were taking sides against the allies in the civil war in China.

NIGHT LIFE REVIVAL.

SCORES OF NEW CLUBS OPENED.

SPECIAL WATCH BY FLYING SQUAD PATROLS.

Scores of new night clubs have been opened in London during the last three months, and it is understood that Scotland Yard is taking a keen interest in this revival of night life.

Many old premises which have been raided and closed have been started again under new names.

Groups of special detectives, attached to the Flying Squad, have been patrolling the night-club areas for the last few weeks, watching for infringements of the licensing hours.

These detectives wear evening attire, and they are mostly young men of good education.

It seems, however, that they are known to the night-club queens and their managers. Recent visits to clubs in the neighbourhood of Shaftesbury Avenue and Regent Street have failed to produce any evidence of infractions of the law.

Dancing Girls Return.

Hundreds of dancing girls who lost their means of livelihood when the police raids of a year ago closed down nearly 75 per cent. of the night resorts, are at work again. Great efforts are being made to popularise these centres.

One club, which has always rigidly followed the regular licensing hours for the sale of drink, has been giving away expensive favours to its guests.

Canaries in cages, expensive French dolls, and elaborate paper costumes, are being offered to the women who come early enough to dine or take supper.

Expensive dance bands have been hired, and elaborate cabaret productions are being staged to add to the attraction of the night clubs.

But there is no doubt that the night life public of London is frightened. There have been too many raids. Too many visitors have found themselves lined up to give "names and addresses" by smiling and courteous but determined police officers.

London's newest night resorts all start by serving drinks according to the hours prescribed by law, and the police do not interfere.

The temperature in the night club manager grows, his wealthy patrons are not satisfied with the reply, "Too late, sir," when they give their orders; special concessions are made, the profits mount rapidly, and the old order of drinks at any hour soon returns.

So far the police have been completely baffled.

CHIANG EMPLOYING WHITE RUSSIANS.

TWENTY CAPTURED AT LUNGHAI.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PEIPING, July 11.

Chu Ao Hsiang, in the course of his weekly interview, declared that several thousands of White Russians are fighting for Nanking, and that 20 were captured on the 5th and 6th inst. on the Lunghai front. They confessed that they were formerly in Chang Tsung Chang's army.

HAN'S TROOPS FIGHT SHANSI FORCES.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PEIPING, July 11.

Foreign sources report that fighting between the troops under Han Fu Chu and the Shansi forces commenced on the 7th inst.

Han Fu Chu met with slight success at first and advanced from Tzeho, but afterwards he was driven back.

It is reported that the Shansi forces occupied Tsingchowfu.

The garrison commander at Tsingtao is reported to have refused to allow Han Fu Chu's armoured cars to enter the Tsingtao area.

TIENTSIN CUSTOMS.

REDUCTION OF STAFF.

(*Wah Tsz Yat Pao.*)

TIENTSIN, July 11.

In an interview with Pressmen, the Vice-Commissioner of the local Customs stated that the number of the staff was formerly over 500, but at present there are 300, and the number, though having decreased by two-fifths, is adequate to function.

He added that many of the old staff members requested to resume their duties, but their service is now no longer necessary.

PENANG SOCIETY WEDDING

SOLEMNISED IN LONDON.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, July 11.

The marriage of Mr. Eric Beresford to Miss Violet Phillips, daughter of the managing director of the *Penang Gazette*, was solemnised to-day at Holy Trinity Church, Kensington.

BOYS STONE POLICE IN EGYPT.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

CAIRO, July 10.

Nineteen policemen were injured and 75 rioters arrested at Tantah to-day when a crowd stoned the police station as a protest against the action of the authorities in the disturbance at Mansourah on July 8.

The demonstrators, who were youths of ages ranging from 10 to 21, numbered 2,000.

All is now quiet at Tantah.

OBITUARY.

GENERAL VON BERNHARDI.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BERLIN, July 11.

The death is announced of General von Bernhardi, the author of "Germany and the Next War."

Sports News

WATER POLO.

ROWDY SCENES IN THE JUNIOR GAME.

PLAYERS ORDERED OUT AND MATCH ABANDONED.

Several unpleasant incidents attended the junior water polo game between the V.R.C. and the Fukien Club a few minutes before the close of play. It was unfortunate that a few misguided youths among the spectators also indulged in a passage of words.

In the first half of the game, Fukien Club scored the only goal through T. W. Wong, who placed the ball in the corner of the net with a fast shot. Another goal followed for the Chinese in the second half when Gosano was beaten at the post. A little later a penalty was awarded to the V.R.C. and Lawrence netted. Lawrence made another effort which was well stopped by the goal-keeper.

With the Chinese leading by two goals to one, some horse-play ensued between certain players, when one from each side was ordered out of the bath. This was followed by another incident in which the two players continued their arguments outside the bath, while two others engaged in a "scrap" further down the bath. At this stage the game had been called off.

It is to be hoped that the matter will be reported to the Committee and steps taken to deal with the offenders. As it happened, the spectators left the Club very much disappointed at the unsportsmanlike conduct of the players.

The teams in the junior game were:—

V.R.C.:—Gosano, Foraita, Maynard, Remedios, L, Roza-Pereira, Lawrence, Zimmern.

Fukien Club:—K. T. Kwok, Y. L. Lee, I. T. Sung, K. Wong, T. W. Wong, K. C. Chan, Gosano.

V.R.C. Seniors Win.

In the earlier game, the V.R.C. had a runaway victory over the Chinese Bathing Club. The first half of the game was keenly contested, with the V.R.C. having most of the play.

Roza-Pereira was prominent on the left wing, and put in two goals in the first half. The Chinese occasionally came near the V.R.C. goal, but their efforts at best proved to be weak.

In the second half Weill put the V.R.C. up with the third goal. Johnstone then put three into the net in succession. Roza-Pereira sent a hot shot, which rebounded off the post in front of Johnstone, who placed in the net for his fourth goal. Towards the close Weill succeeded with a shot from long range.

The final score was eight goals to *nil* in favour of the V.R.C.

V.R.C.: — Silva-Netto, Weill, Stewart, Soares, C. Roza-Pereira, Gittins, Johnstone.

C.B.C.:—Leung Shui Man, Lau Sha Ken, Lau Ying Cheung, Chai Che Chak, Yee Wing Kwong, Leung Shui Wah, Chan Che Yee.

LAWN BOWLS.

INTERPORT MATCH WITH SHANGHAI.

INVITATION ACCEPTED.

The Hon. Secretary of the Hong Kong Lawn Bowls Association has sent us the following report of proceedings at a meeting of the General Committee held on Thursday evening, Mr. B. Wylie, President, being in the chair.

A letter was read from the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Association inviting the Hong Kong Association to send a team to the Northern port during the first week in September for an Interport contest over a series of three games, the team winning at least two out of three to be adjudged winners of the series and the "Prentice Cup." A similar invitation had also been sent to Hankow.

The Hong Kong Association accepted this invitation and a subcommittee was appointed, consisting of Messrs. Brawn (Convenor), Laing and Silkstone (with the President and Hon. Secretary *ex officio*) to make the necessary arrangements in the matter of selecting the Interport team. As in former years, lists will be placed in all clubs inviting members to signify their willingness to go to Shanghai, and from these names the committee will make its selection.

The General Committee approved of the purchase of badges to be presented at the end of the season to the winning teams of the First and Second Divisions.

It was decided to leave the fixing of closing dates of the various rounds of the Open Championship Competition to the officers of the Association.

LEAGUE TENNIS.

CIVIL SERVICE v. FILIPINO.

The Filipinos turned up one pair short in the above match, with the result that they had to forfeit three sets to the home team, who, in spite of this, only managed to win by five sets to four.

The scores were:—

J. Cruz and T. Leon (F.C.)
lost to J. G. Mitchell and V. H. Freeman 3- 6
beat E. Savage and B. Bickford 6- 3
beat G. H. Fowler and T. Armstrong 6- 4

S. A. Hamid and D. Leonard (F.C.)
lost to J. G. Mitchell and V. H. Freeman 4- 6
beat E. Savage and B. Bickford 6- 3
beat G. H. Fowler and T. Armstrong 6- 1

FANLING GOLF.

STARTING TIMES FOR TO-MORROW.

9.20 a.m. L. Yates and J. Coulthart.
9.24 ,, A. Leach and N. K. Littlejohn.
9.28 ,, W. C. Shields and J. S. Dykes.
9.32 ,, D. J. Keogh and A. Reid.
9.36 ,, V. R. Gordon and J. R. Collis.
9.40 ,, A. C. I. Bowker and M. G. Mills.
9.44 ,, A. D. Humphreys and A. E. Lissaman.
9.48 ,, I. H. Geare and O. Eager.
9.52 ,, G. E. Ellams and C. B. Brown.
9.56 ,, C. C. Stark and Capt. Weir.

U.S. OPEN GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.

FIRST ROUND SCORES.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

INTERLACHEN, July 10.

The American Open Golf Championship began here to-day.

There are 141 entries, including Bobby Jones, the holder of the title.

In addition, Cyril Tolley, Perkins and Hagen have entered, and these three constitute what is considered to be the most severe opposition for Bobby Jones.

Eighteen holes will be played to-day and to-morrow, and the competitors returning the 60 lowest scores, including all who tie for the sixtieth place, will play over 36 holes on Saturday.

In the event of a tie the replay, also over 36 holes, will be on Sunday.

The competitors started off to-day under heat wave conditions.

Four thousand people congregated on the first fairway and watched Bobby Jones drive off from the first tee. After that the gallery stampeded down the course like a herd of buffaloes.

Bobby Jones returned a card of 71, but Cyril Tolley disappointed with a score of 80, which is eight strokes above par. Other scores were:—

Leo Diegel	75
Horton Smith	72
Johnny Farrell	74
Jock Hutchison	84
Bill Melhorn	76
Don Moe	75
Von Elm	80
Jim Barnes	74
LATER.	
MacDonald Smith	70
Tommy Armour	70
Walter Hagen	72
Joe Turnesa	73
Perkins	76
Gene Sarazen	76
Ale Spinosa	76
Harrison Johnston	80
Chick Evans	81

BISLEY RIFLE MEETING.

WINCHESTER WINS ASHBURTON SHIELD.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BISLEY, July 10.

Winchester College won the Ashburton Shield at Bisley to-day with a score of 474.

U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

NEW YORK, July 10.

The following are the results of the baseball matches played to-day:—

National League.

Philadelphia	8	New York	19

American League.

New York	1	Philadelphia	9
Boston	2	Washington	7
St. Louis	7	Chicago	6
Detroit	5	Cleveland	6

BABE RUTH TURNS OUT WITH INJURED HAND.

PITTSBURG TRAVEL FAR FOR DEFEAT.

[UNITED PRESS.]

New York, July 3.—Gathering nine hits with the assistance of Babe Ruth, who was included in the Yankees' lineup in spite of the injury to his hand yesterday, the New Yorkers failed to stem the league-leading Athletics, who boosted their percentage to .663 to-day by narrowly defeating the mighty Yankees, 5 runs to 4.

Four errors on the part of the New York nine added the Athletics in their victory, although the Philadelphia team was able to get but five hits. To-day's defeat sent the Yankees lower in the percentages table to a poor third, with .600.

Boston only to be blanked by the

Pittsburgh's Pirates travelled to Braves, 8-0. It looked like a shut-out for the Pirates up to the sixth inning, when they managed to connect. Just the same, their bingles went for naught, as the Braves kept them scatted. Waner gathered two hits and Traynor and Hamsley one each, a total of four. Thirteen hits by the Braves coupled with four errors by the Pirates gave the home team a cleancut victory.

The remaining 12 big league teams were idle to-day, but will swing into action again to-morrow.

Detailed results of to-day's games follow:—

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	R.	H.	E.
New York	4	9	4
Philadelphia	5	5	1

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	R.	H.	E.
Boston	8	13	1
Pittsburg	0	4	4

A Mild Day After the Holiday Excitement.

New York, July 5.—After the holiday double-headers indulged in by all teams in both leagues on Friday, Saturday brought a round of single games, and only in the National League did two teams, the Braves and the Phillies, meet twice. The fractional lead which the Athletics had yesterday is still theirs, but no more to spare. They beat the Red Sox by 7 to 2, making 12 hits to Boston's 6, though the latter played an errorless game. The Washington Senators, whose double victory yesterday brought them to a percentage of .648, just behind the Athletics, still cling at the leaders' heels with .633 to Philadelphia's .654. The Senators made their win with less to spare than the Athletics, however, ending their bout with the Yankees one hit and one run to the good, on the long end of a 3 to 2 score, with 10 hits to the Yankees' 9. This lowers the Yankees' figure to .575, but leaves them still in third place.

Cleveland also holds its place in the line, but Detroit swallowed some of the distance between the two teams, the Tigers making 8 runs to the Indians' 6. The game bristled with a total of 35 hits, of which 21 were made by the Tigers. The Chicago White Sox overwhelmed the St. Louis Browns by 8 to 1, thereby passing the Red Sox, who are now at the foot of the class, and coming within a point of St. Louis's percentage. The three tail-enders however close together in percentages.

The National League.

In the National League, the leading team, the Brooklyn Dodgers, dodged to little avail against New York. The Giants made 11 runs out of 11 hits, while the Dodgers trailed along with 3 runs, though they were but one behind the Giants in the hits column. The Giants played an errorless game.

The Chicago Clubs easily vanquished the Pittsburgh Pirates with a score of 12 to 3, maintaining their second place in the league and climbing dangerously near the Dodgers, with a percentage of .591 to the leaders' .594.

The Cardinals won from the [illegible] fortably in the upper half of the league, but, while the Cincinnati team were losing one game the Philadelphia team were losing two, and therefore hold the unsought tail-end position in the percentages for which the two were tied after yesterday's games. The Boston Braves took the double-header from the Phillies with scores of 17 to 5 in the first game and 7 to 4 in the second. The Braves made their hits work for them in two of the 19 into tallies.

The following are the detailed results of to-day's games:

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	7	12	2
Boston	2	6	0
St. Louis	1	7	1
Chicago	8	13	1
Cleveland	6	14	3
Detroit	8	21	1
New York	2	9	1
Washington	3	10	0

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	R.	H.	E.
Boston	17	19	2
Philadelphia (first game)	5	8	6
Boston	7	11	2
Philadelphia (second game)	4	12	0
Brooklyn	3	10	2
New York	11	11	0
Chicago	12	19	0
Pittsburg	3	9	4
Cincinnati	4	11	2
St. Louis	6	12	1

A BIG HITTING DAY FOR NATIONALS.

New York, July 6.—The Athletics and Senators continued their neck-and-neck race for American League supremacy with both teams winning to-day and increasing their respective percentages to .638 and .633. In the National circuit, however, the position of the Brooklynites improved, as they won and moved up to 600 once more, while the Cubs dropped both games of a double-header and retreated to .575.

The hardest battle in the American League was between the Senators and the Yankees, at Washington. There was tight pitching on both sides, and the score was tied at 2-2 in the ninth inning, after which the Senators got the winning run over the plate in the tenth. The Yanks made seven hits and the Senators but five.

Boston, at the tail end of the listing, unexpectedly put up a stiff battle against the league-leading world champions and the Athletics were able to squeeze only a 4-3 win. Two Philadelphia errors aided the Red Sox, who got nine hits to Philadelphia's 10.

The Cleveland Indians whitewashed the Browns by 7-0 at Cleveland, playing an errorless game and making 11 hits. With one error, the Browns made but seven hits.

Two errors by each side in the Detroit-Chicago game at Chicago left the balance to be decided by the batting, and the Tigers, with nine hits to the White Sox' seven, won by 5 to 2.

National League's Busy Day.

All the games in the National circuit to-day were double-headers with the exception of the Brooklyn-Boston clash, went to the league leaders by 10 to 4. The Dodgers were far superior in batting, making 18 hits to Boston's eight.

New York's Giants cleaned up a double-header with the Phillies, with the Giants' batting superior in both contests. The first game went by 10-8, the Giants making 17 hits to 12 for the opposition. In the second game, the Phillies made three errors and the Giants won by 6 to 2.

Although next to the bottom in league ranking, the Cincinnati Reds turned the tables on the Cubs, who are second on the list, and won by 5 to 4 and 8 to 7 Cincinnati. In each game, the Reds kept a clean slate and the Cubs made one error.

The St. Louis Cardinals nosed out a bare win by 2-1 in the first game against the Pirates, in which they made only two hits but no errors, while the Pirates got seven hits, with one error. The second fray was full of action, the Cards making 15 hits to Pittsburgh's 12 and, despite their own two errors, profiting by Pittsburgh's four so much as to win by 12 to 4.

The following are the detailed results of to-day's games:—

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	5	9	2
Chicago	2	7	2
St. Louis	0	7	1
Cleveland	7	11	0
Philadelphia	4	10	2
Boston	3	9	0
New York	2	7	0
Washington	3	5	0

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	R.	H.	E.
Boston	4	8	1
Brooklyn	10	18	7
Philadelphia	8	12	1
New York (first game)	10	17	2
Philadelphia	2	6	3
New York (second game)	6	12	0
Chicago	4	10	1
Cincinnati (first game)	5	1	0
Chicago	7	11	1
Cincinnati (second game)	8	10	0
Pittsburg	1	7	1
St. Louis (first game)	2	2	0
Pittsburg	4	12	4
St. Louis (second game)	12	15	2

Standings.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	52	27	.658
Washington	47	23	.633
New York	42	32	.567
Cleveland	37	38	.493
Detroit	36	42	.462
St. Louis	29	46	.387
Chicago	27	43	.386
Boston	28	45	.384

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Brooklyn	42	28	.600
Chicago	42	31	.575
New York	41	32	.562
St. Louis	38	34	.528
Boston	35	36	.493
Pittsburg	32	40	.444
Cincinnati	29	43	.403
Philadelphia	25	43	.368

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NEWS IN BRIEF.

The French Chamber was turned into a boxing ring last week when, during the debate on the Jules Ferry Memorial, Socialist and Republican braves had a bout of fisticuffs on the floor of the House.

A party of twenty German teachers arrived in Arras last week and was welcomed by the director of Arras University after which at the reception arranged by the municipality, cordial wishes were exchanged for development of friendly Franco-German relations.

Trials made in the city of Barcelona made an automobile steered by Hertzian waves, having no driver at its wheel, proved a complete success. The car threaded its way through the city's busy streets while the control was exercised from another car running behind it.

As a result of the sharp criticisms levelled at him by the 16th Congress of the Communist Party, Comrade Butharin, for many years one of the leading men of the Communist movement, in Moscow last week expressed his desire to give up his membership in the central executive committee of the party.

The Ministry of the Navy in Lisbon is at present working out the details of a new naval construction programme which is to be started at once. It will be spread over eight years and cost altogether about $60,000,000. It provides for the construction of the following units, two cruisers, twelve destroyers, twelve submarines, one seaplane-mothership and two gunboats.

Le Soir recently published the unconfirmed report that the Minister of Public Works M. Pernot, and the Under-Secretaries of State for Trade and Agriculture, Mm. Oberkirch and Serot, intend to resign from the Tardieu Cabinet owing to their opposition to the course taken by the Cabinet in the question of joint education. It is not believed that this will affect the position of the Cabinet as a whole.

The Belgrade correspondent of the *Deutsche Tageszeitung* last week reported two further cases of terrible ill-treatment by the Serbian police of two Germans similar to the recently reported case of the German woman writer Frau Isolde Reiter. Both, a lawyer named Wilhelm Neuner and a merchant called Urso, were arrested under fictitious political charges. In consequence of torture the latter became insane and had to be confined to a lunatic asylum.

A premature heat wave swept over Tokya and district on July 4, the maximum thermometer registered 92 degrees and over indoors. This is said to be the record at this time of the year in the past 16 years.

The Soviet Government intends to raise and recondition the old Tsarist warship Rostislaw which was scuttled near the Crimean coast at the order of General Wrangel when the Reds drove the rest of his army out of the country.

The apparent imminent reconstruction of the Spanish Cabinet is the topic of the day in Madrid. The forecasts include the Catalonian Signor Ventosa as Minister of Finance of the King's right-hand man Signor Matos as Minister of the Interior.

Statistics just published in Warsaw show that from 1918 up to the end of 1929 1,324,240 Polish citizens left the country, of whom 590,900 emigrated to countries overseas while the rest settled in various European countries. The total population of Poland stands at 30,408,000 souls.

The heat wave in Germany on July 4 increased to 34 degrees centigrade in the shade, causing the exodus of all who are not actually forced to remain at work to the forests and lakes adjoining the city. Even in the Reichstag where a few days ago the Speaker issued an order forbidding the deputies to appear in shirt-sleeves as contrary to the dignity of the House, this order had to be rescinded, the Speaker giving permission to the Deputies to take off their coats during the debate.

Captain Stair Gillon has written one of the most interesting of all the regimental histories of the Great War in his official account of the part played by the King's Own Scottish Borderers. In some ways the fact that the fighting units stuck very faithfully to the commands in which they started the war should have somewhat eased his task, but the ground has already been so well covered by the Divisional histories as to make his task as editor a complicated one. It says much for his success that this is perhaps one of the easiest of regimenal histories to read. The faithfulness of the K.O.S.B. to their original commands is, one thinks, almost unique in the history of the war. The 1st Battalion joined and never left the 87th Brigade of the 29th Division. The 2nd Battalion served throughout with the 13th Brigade of the 5th Division, while the 4th and 5th Battalions served together in the 155th Brigade of the 52nd (Lowland) Division.

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AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY.

OPPOSITION IN SENATE TO NAVAL PACT.

SYMPATHETIC ATTITUDE TOWARDS CHINA.

[UNITED PRESS.]

Washington July 6.—Proponents of the London Naval Limitation Treaty are laying plans for an attempt to force a vote within the next 10 days, it was learned to-day as final preparations were being completed for the special Senate session which is to open-to-morrow.

Opponents of the treaty are attempting to delay the vote, feeling that time is on their side and that the longer the delay, the larger the probable vote against the pact.

Should the securing of a quorum be doubtful as the time draws near for a vote, supporters of the treaty intend to take steps to enforce attendance at the Senate Chamber.

While Administration leaders are working to perfect arrangements so far as the Senate is concerned, President Hoover is completing his treaty message at the Presidential retreat at Rapidan. He is known to attach special importance to this matter and he is hopeful of early endorsement of the pact.

Fighting Threat by Sen. Watson.

Late to-day it was indicated that an attempt may be made to place President Hoover's message before the Senate, regardless of the presence or absence of a quorum.

Senator James E. Watson of Indiana said that he is prepared to send the Senate's sergeant-at-arms throughout the entire United States to arrest any members of the Senate who might absent themselves from the special session. Such a course of action would admittedly be unprecedented in the history of the country.

Senator Henry J. Allen of Kansas, former Governor of that state, made public a statement declaring that the chagrin of the Opposition forces springs from the opposition in the admiralties of all nations involved.

He said that it cannot be disputed that the proposed treaty curbs further tonnage expansion of the British and the Japanese navies, while giving the United States the privilege of building according to their relative strengths.

ATTITUDE TOWARDS CHINA.

Washington, July 5.—Representative Henry W. Temple of Pennsylvania, who succeeded Congressman Porter as chairman of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs, announced that he would follow the precedent set by his predecessor's policy towards China, maintaining a friendly, co-operative, and sympathetic attitude.

Representative Temple, as a former Presbyterian clergyman, professor of history and political science in Washington and Jefferson College, and editor of religious papers, may well be expected to draw upon a kindly understanding of the problems China is facing. He is also a member of various historical societies and academies of political and social science, and has done some writing in these fields. He was born in Ohio, but makes his home in Washington Penn.

CHANGES IN HAITI.

Washington, July 3.—The Secretary of State, Col. Henry W. Stimson, announced some changes in the American *personnel* in Haiti to-day. These changes are designed, it is understood, to remove the friction in Haiti which resulted in bitter feeling on the part of native Haitians and in open trouble last winter.

General John Henry Russel, in command of American marines in Haiti, who has been criticized not only by Haitians but also by radical and liberal Americans for severity and highhandedness, has been granted leave until September of this year. He will then return to Haiti, but will remain only until after the inauguration of the new President of Haiti, to be seated under the new election agreement arranged by a recent American investigating commission in Haiti. After the President of Haiti is in office, the American Minister, Mr. Munroe, will assume full American responsibility in Haiti.

Mr. Carl Colvin of Investdale, Illinois, formerly state supervisor of agricultural education for Illinois and since 1924 director of education and assistant director of the Service Technique d'Agriculture of Haiti, will be given full charge.

PRESIDENT TO DROP MR. HOUSTON.

REPUBLICAN CHAIRMAN TO BE ASKED TO RESIGN

Washington, July 3.—It is learned that President Hoover intends shortly to demand the resignation of the Mr. Houston, Chairman of the Republican National Committee. Meanwhile, however, Mr. Houston has called a meeting of the Congressional campaign committees for next Monday and is apparently intending to proceed with plans for the autumn campaign.

It is believed that President Hoover will take the action of ousting Houston in order to prevent a breach within the ranks of the party. There has been a considerable demand for Houston's removal for some time, since the revelation of irregularities in his handling of party funds. He is believed to have "borrowed" party contributions for his own personal use, thereby profiting in the stock market.

President Hoover has been criticized for keeping Houston in office, his reluctance to act being ascribed by many to personal friendship.

Mr. Houston's Removal Discussed.

Orange, July 5.—President Hoover has summoned the Republican leaders of the Senate to spend the week-end at his Rapidan camp.

The primary purpose of the conference is presumed to be discussion of the removal of Mr. Houston from the Chairmanship National Committee of the party. Senator Simeon D. Fess of Ohio, who has been prominently mentioned as a probable successor for Mr. Houston was the first of the senatorial guests to arrive at Rapidan, the others being expected later.

Another subject which will, it is anticipated, be discussed during the week-end is the London Naval Treaty, for the consideration of which a special session of the Senate has been called for Monday, July 7. An effort will be made to assure the early adoption of the treaty.

PRESIDENT WINS ON LAW ENFORCEMENT.

SENATE AGREES TO VOTE $250,000.

Washington, July 3.—The Senate has agreed to vote the appropriation of $250,000 for the Wickersham Law Enforcement Commission, originally asked by President Hoover. This ends the difficulty occasioned by the Senate's reduction of the sum to $50,000, as the House of Representatives has already voted to support the President in this matter.

This question was another of those which Senator Norris insisted should be settled before adjournment of Congress, if it took all the summer.

$82,000,000 PENSION BILL.

Washington, July 3.—The Seventy-first Congress adjourned to-night with little margin for the Independence Day holiday. The House of Representatives adjourned at 10:36 p.m., the Senate at 10.38. The closing hours of the session were marked by legislative victories for President Hoover.

The Senate passed the much-discussed War Veterans' Compensation Bill, as re-submitted after the House had insisted on eliminating the Senate amendments to which President Hoover strongly objected, with a majority of 48 to 14. The President signed the bill an hour later.

It is estimated that this bill will cost United States taxpayers $31,000,000 in 1930, $58,000,000 in 1931, the amount increasing steadily until it reaches $82,000,000 by 1935. Pensions will not be allowed to veterans who are paying an income.

EASTERN NEWS IN BRIEF.

PARS FROM EVERYWHERE.

The largest telescope in the Far East is now ready for operation at the Tokyo Astronomical Observatory. The lense is 55 centimentres in calibre, the length of tube 11 metres and the weight is 12 tons.

The fluctuations in the Harbin dollar are causing the Chinese banks in that city to suffer big losses. The losses sustained by the Tsitsikar Bank of Kuan Psin-kunssu are estimated at $4,000,000.

Once more an attempt to abolish *likin* is to be made. The Minister of Finance is now stated to be making the necessary preparations to abolish *likin* some time before the "Double Ten" festival, October 10.

Honolulu has just completed a drive for Chinese famine relief funds, with total collections of $41,912.50. This sum has been forwarded to the International Famine Relief Commission in Peiping for distribution.

It is stated at the Ministry of Communications that negotiations regarding the revision of the cable contracts between the Chinese Government and the Eastern Extension and the Great Northern Telegraph Companies are proceeding satisfactorily. A definite settlement is expected to be effected shortly.

Under the patronage of Mr. Koizumi (Minister of Communications), Mr. Nagata (Mayor of Tokyo), and other prominent persons, plans have been made for the organization of the America-Japan Professional Boxing Club. The purpose of the club is to train professional boxers for contests with foreign champions.

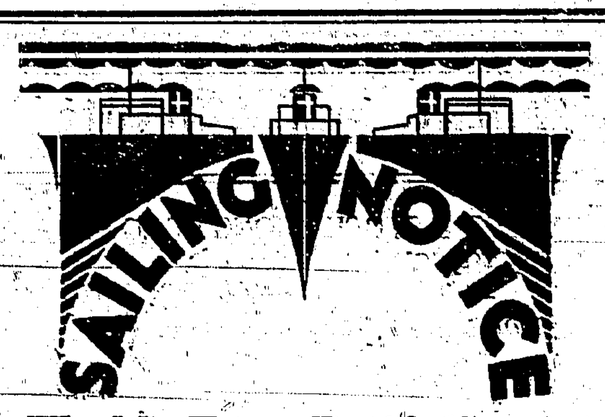
Delegates from fifteen provinces to the National Likin Abolition Conference have arrived in Shanghai and have decided to hold the conference on August 15. Proposals concerning the abolition of *likin* have been received by the secretary of the conference from those provinces which will not be represented at the forthcoming conference.

According to investigations made by the Japan Cotton Spinners' Association, the total import of raw cotton during the first part of the current year amounted to 1,975,714 kori, which, compared with the corresponding period of the previous year showed a decrease by 86,618 kori, while what was imported from China showed an increase by 33,776 kori, owing to the slump of silver.

A large crowd was present at the St. Louis Catholic Church, Tientsin, on June 28 to witness the marriage of Miss Marie Madelaine Splingaerd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Splingaerd, of Tientsin, to Mr. Dick Gerald John Keet, son of M. and Mrs. John Keet, of Chadwell, Essex, England. The Rev. Father Molinari, parish priest of St. Louis' Church, officiated at the ceremony, with the Rev. Father Jansen representing the Bishop, Mgr. de Vienne.

Some speculation has been caused recently among Chapei (Shanghai) residents by the apparition of a large "Red Maria" loaded with police, all armed to the teeth, proceeding slowly up and down the streets throughout the night. The van has been placed on regular patrol in order to cope with the activities of robbers and their kidney who until recently have been extremely active. That it has had a good effect is attested in the Chinese Press, which remarks on the quietness of the district since the patrol was inaugurated.

The Chinese Ratepayers' Association in the French Concession, Shanghai, has decided at a meeting that in future the payment of the 2 per cent. extra municipal rate should be cancelled. The association pointed out that owing to the construction of large quantities of houses in the French Concession the amount of the municipal rate has been greatly increased. Another argument is that the similar rate collected in the International Settlement has now been cancelled. It has been decided by the majority of Chinese residents in the Concession, the report continues, to make an appeal to M. Wilden, the new French Minister, during the French National celebrations on July 14, should the question not have been settled by that time.



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TJIMANOEK ...	AMOY	27th July	29th July, Noon	BATAVIA

NORTH BOUND.

STEAMERS	FROM	EXPECTED ON OR ABOUT	WILL LEAVE ON OR ABOUT	FOR
TJILEBOET .	JAVA, MAKASSAR	14th July	17th July	AMOY
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Money and Markets

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

LIGHT DAY'S TRADING.

SLIGHT RECOVERY AT CLOSE.

[UNITED PRESS.]

New York, July 3.—This last day before a three-day holiday period was a light one on the New York Stock Exchange, according to the daily review of the Dow Jones Financial News Agency. Only 1,354,250 shares changed hands.

Many traders were already absent on their holidays, while others were anxious to be out of the market before following suit with their own departures.

Losses Early in the Day.

Prices generally were lower. Considerable losses were sustained early in the day. Some of these were recovered in the final hour of trading. U.S. Steel receiving considerable support and leading others in the advance. Steel closed with a net loss of one point at 157⅞. This last-minute rally was attributed to the reluctance of the bears to remain short over the ensuing holidays.

The average of 20 industrials showed a loss of 2.79 to 222.46. Eastman Kodak dropped 6⅛ to 192. Goodyear Tire & Rubber was off two points to 57, and Goodrich one point to 23. Anaconda Copper was off only a quarter of a point to 50, while Kennecott Copper was up 1⅛ to 38½. General Motors gained five-eights to 40⅜, most motor stocks showing no marked departures.

Rails Fractionally Lower.

Rails, shown by the average of 20 stocks, were down 82. Canadian Pacific gained 1⅛ to 187⅞, while Northern Pacific lost ⅜ to close at 72½. Union Pacific was down two points to 207, and Southern Pacific dropped a quarter of a point to 114⅞. Pennsylvania held its own, with a net rise of an eighth to 74½.

American Tel. and Tel. was off 1½ to close at 207. International Tel. and Tel. went down 1⅛ to 43⅜. Twenty utilities averaged a decline of 1.48 to 80.85. General Electric was off 1⅜ to 67, Standard Gas and Electric three points to 90, Columbia Gas and Electric 1⅜ to 62⅜.

Call money dropped from 2½ to 2 per cent.

QUOTATIONS.

New York, July 4.

Market irregular.
Business done: 1,584,250 shares.

	June 2	3
Adams Express	24½	24⅜
American Can	120⅜	117½
American & Foreign Power	61½	63
American Rolling Mill	Unq.	49½
American Smelting	59	59⅛
American Tel. & Tel.	209⅛	207
American Tobacco "B"	233⅛	234
American Waterworks	86⅛	83½
Anaconda Copper	50⅛	50
Atlantic Refining	35½	35½
Baltimore & Ohio	103⅛	102½
Bethlehem Steel	81	79½
Borg Warner	28	27
Calumet & Hecla	15⅜	15½
Canadian Pacific Railway	186	187⅛
Chesapeake Corporation	59½	Mutl.
Chicago Rock Island	99⅞	98
Chrysler	27½	27½
Cities Service, Common	26⅜	25⅝
Colgate Palmolive Peet	51½	51½
Columbia Gas & Electric	64⅛	62⅜
Columbia Graphaphone	17⅜	17⅛
Commercial Solvents	23½	22½
Commonwealth & Southern	14⅛	14½
Commonwealth & S. Warr.	4	3⅞
Consolidated Gas of N. Y.	103½	106⅜
Continental Oil	19⅜	Mptl.
Corn Products	94	92⅜
Curtiss Wright, Common	7⅛	7⅛
Du Pont de Nemours	103¼	100½
Eastman Kodak	198⅛	192
Electric Bond & Share	78⅛	77⅜
Erie Railway	39½	39½
Fox Film "A"	40½	40⅜
General Electric	68⅛	67
General Food	54½	54⅜
General Motors	39⅜	40⅜
General Railway Signal	80½	Mutl.
Gold Dust	38	38½
Goodrich Rubber	26	25
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	59	57
Granby	21⅜	Mutl.
Great Northern Certificates	75	78½
Hershey Chocolate	90½	88⅜
International Cement	61	Mutl.
International Combustion Eng.	6	6
International Harvester	82⅛	72½
International Nickel	24½	24½
International Printers Ink	36⅛	Mutl.
International Products Com.	Unq.	4½
International Tel. & Tel.	44½	43⅜
Johns Manville	78	77½
Kennecott Copper	37	38⅛
Kreuger & Toll	28	28⅛
Kroger Grocery	25⅛	25⅜
Liggett & Myers "B"	92⅛	90½
Loews' Inc.	63½	65
Ludlum Steel	25⅜	25
Mack Trucks	53½	52½
Missouri Pacific	Mutl.	60½
Montgomery Ward	34½	34⅜
Nevada Consolidated Copper	16⅜	16½
New York Central	159½	159
Northern Pacific Railway	73⅛	72½
Pacific Lighting	79⅜	77
Packard Motor Car	13⅜	13½
Paramount Famous Lasky	57	57
Pennroad Corporation	11⅜	11½
Phillips Petroleum	32½	32
Public Service of N. Jersey	94½	91½
Radio Corporation	35⅜	35⅛
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	51	50½
Sears Roebuck	64½	62½
Shell Union	18½	18⅜
Simmons Compay	22½	23½
Southern California Edison	57	56
Southern Pacific Railway	116	114½

(Continued on next Column.)

HONG KONG SHARES.

BENJAMIN & POTTS' WEEKLY REPORT.

Messrs. Benjamin & Potts, local share and general brokers, in their weekly share report dated yesterday, state:—

The market continues dull and prices generally are lower.

Banks.—Hong Kong and Shanghai Banks which left off last week at $1,530 have been ruling easier and shares have changed hands at $1,515 to $1,510. The London rate is slightly higher at £106.10/-.

Marine and Fire Insurances.—Unions have been dealt in to some extent with sales made from $443 to $447½. Cantons are in demand at the reduced rate at $940. Hong Kong Fires are also wanted at this price. China Fires continue in request at $400. China Underwriters have dropped to a selling rate of $2.65.

Shipping.—Hong Kong, Canton and Macao Steamboats are offering at $24½ and possibly a lower rate would be accepted. Douglases are enquired at $23, and Waterboats at $32.

Docks, Wharves and Godowns.—Kowloon Wharves have fallen away to $170. China Providents were sold down to $5½ but close firmer with buyers at $5.40. Whampoa Docks continue neglected at $38 and Shanghai Docks have dropped to Tls. 116.

(Continued on next Column.)

Lands, Hotels and Buildings.—Hong Kong Lands after touching as low as $81 have suddenly firmed up and close with buyers at $83. Humphreys Estates have weakened to a selling rate of $16½ and Realties are also easier at $9.60.

Public Utilities.—Hong Kong Electrics were the medium of a large business, with shares selling down to $77. The market then turned and with a good demand setting in, the price has improved to $79. China Lights (Old) have further receded with sales reported at $23½ and the new shares are offering at $23. Hong Kong Trams are slightly lower and have been sold down at $20. "Star" Ferries are still offering at $84 after sales at $83½. Peak Trams are in demand and have advanced to $123, but there are no sellers in evidence. Telephones (partly paid) were sold up to $22½ but are now obtainable cheaper at $21½. The fully paid shares are quoted at $31½.

Miscellaneous.—Green Island Cements have eased off a little—the Combined shares being on offer at $19.15. There are buyers of the Old shares at $13½ and the New at $5½. Hong Kong Ropes have fluctuated between $10.30 and $11, and at the close there are buyers at the latter rate. Dairy Farms were sold at $24½. Watsons are offering at $12½ Lane, Crawfords were booked at the reduced rate of $3. Hong Kong Amusements have weakened to $26½.

Cotton Mills.—Ewo Mills have experienced a rather sudden drop from Tls. 12½ to Tls. 11. They close slightly higher with buyers at Tls. 11.25. Shanghai Cottons have also declined and are offering at Tls. 76.

Rubbers.—Raw Rubber is down to 5⅞d. per lb. and share prices have again given way slightly, as is shown by the following quotations received to-day from Shanghai:—

	Buyers.
Anglo-Javas	Tls. 5.85
Anglo-Dutch	3.00
Batu Anams	0.60
Chemors	1.25
Consolidateds	2.35
Kroewoeks	1.30
Repahs	1.25
Tanahs Merahs	1.05
Tebongs	1.65
Ziangbes	5.80

Exchange.—The T.T. rate on London is 1/3½ and on Shanghai 83½.

Forward Settlement Days. July 29, August 26 and September 20.

Standard Gas & Electric	96	90	
Standard Oil of New Jersey	66	65	
Standard Oil of New York	31⅛	32	
Texas Corporation	51⅜	51½	
Texas Gulf Sulphur	58⅛	52⅜	
Timken Roller Bearing	60	57⅛	
Trans America	30⅞	29½	
Union Carbide & Carbon	69¼	68⅜	
Union Pacific Railway	209	207	
United Aircraft & Transport	52⅛	52⅛	
United Corporation	32⅛	31⅛	
United Gas & Improvement	35⅞	35⅛	
United Dry Docks	4⅛	4⅛	
U.S. Rubber	21⅛	21½	
U.S. Steel	158⅛	157⅞	
Vanadium	80½	80	
Warner Bros. Pictures	41⅞	41½	
Westinghouse E. & M.	137	134	
Woolworth	58½	57½	

NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK.

FAVOURABLE HALF-YEARLY REPORT.

The local branch of the National City Bank of New York has received a telegram from the head office stating that the balance-sheet issued on June 30, 1930, indicates that all existing records of the bank since its establishment in 1812 have been exceeded with the exception of the statement of December 31, 1929.

Total resources stand at U.S.$2,078,337,252 against U.S.$1,995,838,614 on March 27, 1930, and U.S.$2,062,400,220 on June 29, 1929. Deposits amount to U.S.$1,560,268,690 against U.S.$1,471,507,701 on March 27, 1930, and U.S.$1,470,891,893 on June 29, 1929. Capital, surplus and undivided profits U.S.$242,973,145 against U.S.$235,260,406 a year ago. The high record of all time reached December 31, 1929, showed deposits of U.S.$1,649,554,260 and total resources U.S.$2,206,241,170.

The capital of the City Bank Farmers' Trust Co. Capital U.S.$10,000,000, surplus and undivided profits U.S.$13,777,906.03 and the National City Company, capital U.S.$55,000,000, surplus U.S.$55,000,000, are beneficially owned by the stockholders of The National City Bank of New York. The figures of these Companies are not included in the above statement of the Bank.

The following is the balance-sheet as of June 30, 1930, which has been cabled from New York:—

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CONDITION AS OF JUNE 30, 1930.

Assets:

Cash in vault and in Federal Reserve Bank	G.$147,074,883.58	
Due from Banks, Bankers and United States Treasurer	303,902,958.58	
		G.$452,997,842.16
Loans, Discounts and Acceptances of Other Banks		1,147,057,809.49
United States Government Bonds and Certificates	G.$168,165,713.90	
State and Municipal Bonds	2,615,759.19	
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	6,600,000.00	
Other Bonds and Securities	78,321,932.33	
		255,703,433.42
Ownership of:—		
International Banking Corporation (Including Bank of Haiti, Inc.)		8,000,000.00
Bank Buildings		40,949,789.75
Items in Transit with Branches		13,163,868.90
Customers' Liability Account of Acceptances		153,006,436.16
Other Assets		7,459,071.99
		G.$2,078,337,252.89

Liabilities:

Capital	G.$110,000,000.00	
Surplus	110,000,000.00	
Undivided Profits	22,973,145.67	
		G.$242,973,145.67
Reserves for:—		
Contingencies	6,197,765.18	
Accrued Interest, Discount and Other Unearned Income	4,819,331.41	
Taxes, Dividends and Accrued Expenses, etc.	11,641,983.95	
		22,659,083.54
Liability as Acceptors, Endorser or Maker on Acceptances and Foreign Bills		252,236,909.26
Circulation		99,365.00
Deposits		1,560,268,690.42
		G.$2,078,337,252.89

DAILY SHARE QUOTATIONS.

HONG KONG STOCK EXCHANGE. SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION.

Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal	FRIDAY, JULY 11.	Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal
				Banks				
$1,510	...	1,515/7½		H.K. Banks	$1,510	...	...	...
...	...	...	£106½	Do. (London)	...	...	...	£16½
£17½	...	...	...	Chartered Banks	...	...	...	£29
...	...	...	£23½	Mercantile Bks. "A"	...	...	...	£12½
...	...	...	£12½	Do. "C"	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$151	Bank of East Asia	...	$115	...	...
				Insurances				
$940	...	...	...	Canton Insurance	...	...	...	$860
$2.55	$2.65	...	...	Underwriters	...	...	$2.70	...
T.160	...	...	...	North China	...	...	...	T160
...	$446	$447½	...	Union Insurances	$442	...	...	...
...	...	...	M.$50	Yangtsze Insurances	...	...	...	$80
$400	...	...	...	China Fires	$400	...	...	...
$940	...	...	...	H.K. Fires	$950	...	...	...
				Shipping				
...	...	...	$24	Douglases	...	...	...	$34½
...	$24½	...	...	Steamboats	...	$24	...	...
...	...	...	$43	Indos (pref.)	...	...	...	$43
...	...	...	$40	Do. (def.)	...	...	...	$40
...	...	...	97/6	Shell Transports	...	...	...	98/3
...	...	...	$32	Water-boats	...	...	...	$31
				Mining				
...	...	...	$2½	Benquets	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	32/6	Kailans	...	...	...	54/-
...	...	...	...	Langkats (comb.)	...	...	...	T13.10
...	...	...	T.9	Do. (single)	...	...	...	T.7
...	...	...	...	Explorations	...	...	...	T1.30
T1.30	...	...	...	Shanghai Loans	...	T.6½	...	...
T.6½	...	...	...	Raubs	...	...	...	$24
$24	...	...	...	Trotoh Mines	...	...	...	21/-
...	...	...	21/-					
				Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.				
				H.K. & K. Wharfs	...	$172	...	...
...	$170	$170	...	Providents	$5.40	...	...	...
$54.0	...	...	...	H.K. Docks	...	$38	...	...
...	...	...	$39	Shanghai Docks	...	T.117	...	...
...	...	...	T.12½	New Engineerings	...	T.7½	...	...
...	...	...	T.7½	Hongkews	...	...	...	...
T.266	...	...	...					
				Cotton Mills				
				Ewos	T11.30	...	...	...
T11.10	...	11.20/	½	Shai. C'tons (old)	...	...	...	T.85
...	...	...	T.78	Do. (new)	...	...	...	T.84
...	...	...	T.9	Zoong Sings	...	...	...	T.10½
				Lands, Hotels and Buildings				
$11½	...	...	...	H.K. & S. Hotels	$11.35	...	$11.40	...
$83½	$84	$83½	...	H.K. Lands	$83½	...	$83/3	...
T.275	...	...	...	Shanghai Lands	...	...	...	...
...	$9.60	...	...	H.K. Realtys	...	$9½	...	...
...	$16½	...	...	Humphreys	...	$16	...	...
...	...	...	$98	Chinese Estates	...	...	...	...
				Public Utilities				
...	$20.20	$20.10	...	Tramways	$20.10	...	$20.10	...
$12½	...	...	...	Peak Trams (old)	$12	...	...	...
$6	...	...	...	Do. (new)	$6	...	...	...
...	$84	...	...	Star Ferries	...	...	...	$83
$26.80	$26.80	$26½/-	70	C. Lights (old)	$26.55	$26.80	$26½/-	80
...	$22	...	...	Do. (new)	$21	...	$21	...
$78½	...	$79	...	H.K. Electrics	$79	...	$79	...
...	...	...	$33	Macao do.	...	...	...	...
$11	...	...	...	Sandakan Lights	...	...	...	...
...	$21½	$21.80	...	Telephones	...	$22	...	...
$31½	...	...	...	Do. (Fully Paid)	...	...	...	...
T.18½	...	...	...	China Buses	...	...	...	...
...	10/-	...	...	Tractions	...	...	...	6/9
...	...	...	18/6	Do. (pref.)	...	...	...	...
				Industrials				
...	...	...	T.11½	Caldbeck, (ord.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	T.10	Macgregor (pref.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$2½	Canton Ices	$2.10	...	...	...
$19	$19.15	...	...	Cements (comb.)	...	$19	18.90/-	19
$13½	...	...	...	Do (old)	$13	$13½	$13	...
$5½	...	...	...	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$5½
$11	...	...	...	Ropes	$10.70	$11	...	...
...	$1	...	...	China Sugars	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$27	Malabon Sugars	...	...	...	$29
...	...	...	$5	United Asbestos	...	...	...	...
				Miscellaneous				
$24.70	$24.80	24.70/-	¼	Dairy Farms	...	$25	...	...
$1	...	...	...	Der A. Wings	...	...	...	...
...	$26½	...	...	Amusements	...	$26	...	...
...	...	...	$1.90	Constructions	...	$1.90	...	...
...	...	...	$3	Lane Crawfords	...	$3.20	...	...
$18	...	...	...	Mackintoshs	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Nanyang Tobacco	...	...	...	$4
...	...	...	$11.30	Sinceres (old)	$11½	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Do. (new)	...	...	...	...
...	$12½	...	...	Watsons	...	...	...	$2½
...	...	...	$2.85	Wm. Powells	...	...	...	...
63½/-	...	...	...	B. Ind. G.S Bonds	...	68/-	...	...
...	9/-	prem.	...	H.K. Govt. Loan	...	$109½	...	...
$10	...	...	...	Chin. Entertainm'ts	...	...	...	...

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No. of Shares done—2 million.
Call Money—2½ per cent.

	Last Dividend.	Latest Sales.
American Smelting	4	63
Anaconda Copper	3.50	50
Baltimore and Ohio	7	106
Borg Warner	3	29
Continental Oil	None	21
City Service Common	30c. A	27
Curtis Wright Common	None	7
Eastman Kodak	8B	203
Electric Bond and Share	6C	79
Erie Railroad	None.	43
General Motors	3	43
General Ry. Signal	5	81
Gold Dust	2½	Missing
Goodyear Tire and Rubber	5	62
Granby Consolidated	3	22
International Cement	Last Div.	64
International Nickel	1	24
Montgomery Ward	3	35
Nevada Consolidated Copper	1.50	27
Radio Corp	None	28
Sears Roebuck & Co.	2½D	63
Simmons Co.	3	22
Standard Oil of N.J.	Missing.	69
Standard Oil Co. of New York	2.00	32
Union Carbide and Carbon	2.60	64
U.S. Rubber	None	22
United States Steel	7	159

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From	Per	Due
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Shanghai and Foochow	*Ouderkerk*	12th July
Manila	*Pressens*	12th July
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 13th June), and Europe via Siberia (London, 21st June)	*Pres. Wilson*	12th July
Shanghai and Swatow	*Ssechuen*	12th July
Europe via Negapatam (Letters only, London, 12th June)	*Bengal Maru*	12th July
Manila	*Pres. Pierce*	13th July
Amoy	*Tyfaorcea*	13th July
Europe via Negapatam (Papers only. London 12th June)	*Kidderpore*	13th July
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver, B.C., 26th June)	*Emp. of Russia*	14th July
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 20th June	*Pres. Jackson*	14th July
Calcutta and Straits	*Nam Sang*	15th July
Australia and Manila	*Kaga Maru*	15th July
Japan and Shanghai	*Chenonceaux*	15th July
Japan	*Montevideo Maru*	17th July
Japan and Shanghai	*Morea*	18th July
Japan	*Aki Maru*	21st July

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For	Per	Date and Time
		Saturday, 12th,
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	*Kanchow*	8.30 A M
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius and East Africa	*Shidzuoka Maru*	9.30 A M
Shanghai and *EUROPE via Siberia	*Dardanus*	2.30 P M
Saigon	*Telemachus*	5.00 P M
Manila	*Pres. Wilson*	5.00 P M
Foochow via Swatow	*Ch'ang Shing*	5.00 P M
		Sunday, 13th,
Bangkok via Swatow	*Kiangsi*	9.00 A M
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	*Hozan Maru*	9.00 A M
		Monday, 14th,
Swatow	*Hydrangea*	3.00 P M
Japan, *Canada, U.S.A., C. and S. America and *EUROPE via San Francisco —due San Francisco 6th Aug.	*Pres. Pierce*	Parcels 3.00 P M Reg. 4.15 P M Letters 5.00 P M
Shanghai, and *EUROPE via Siberia	*Pres. Pierce*	Reg. 5.00 P M Letters 6.00 P M
		Tuesday, 15th,
Swatow	*Kuichow*	10.30 A M
*Swatow, Foochow and Wei-Hai-Wei	*Tonkin*	12.30 P M
Fort Bayard, Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	*Haiyang*	1.00 P M
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow		*Kowloon P.O.*
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, *East and *South Africa, Aden, Egypt and *EUROPE via Marseilles —due Marseilles, 16th Aug.	*Chenonceaux*	Reg. 1.00 P M Letters 1.00 P M *G.P.O.* Reg. 1.45 P M Letters 2.30 P M
Manila	*Emp. of Russia*	2.30 P M
Manila	*Pres. Jackson*	4.30 P M
Shanghai, *Japan, Canada, U.S.A., C. and S. America and *EUROPE via Victoria, B.C.—due Victoria, B.C., 6th Aug. and *EUROPE via Siberia	*Hikawa Maru*	Reg. 5.00 P M Wednesday, 16th, Letters 8.30 A M
		Wednesday, 16th,
Swatow	*Hongkong*	8.30 A M
Japan	*Kaga Maru*	9.30 A M
Amoy	*Taiyuan*	5.00 P M
		Thursday, 17th,
Amoy	*Kumsang*	5.00 P M
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa and *South American Ports	*Montevideo Maru*	5.00 P M
		Friday, 18th,
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	*Hai Ning*	2.00 P M
		Kowloon P.O.
		Parcels 4.30 P M
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. & South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 15th August	*Morea*	Reg. 19th, 9.00 A M Letters 10.00 A M
		G.P.O.
		Par. 18th, 5.00 P M
		Reg. 19th, 9.45 A M
		Letters 10.30 A M
		Saturday, 19th,
Swatow	*Soochow*	10.00 A M
Straits and Calcutta	*Ho Sang*	Parcels Noon Letters 1.00 P M
		Sunday, 20th,
Sandakan	*Hinsang*	9.00 A M
		Monday, 21st,
Shanghai	*Katori Maru*	10.30 A M
Manila, *Australia and *New Zealand via Thursday Island—due Thursday Island, 4th Aug.	*Aki Maru*	Reg. 5.00 P M Let., 22nd, 8.30 A M
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island — due Thursday Island, 2nd Aug.	*Taiping*	Par., 21st, 5.00 P M Reg. 22nd, 9.45 A M Letters 10.30 A M
		Tuesday, 22nd,
		Kowloon P.O.
		Reg. 1.00 P M
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. and S. Africa, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 22nd Aug.	*Achilles*	Letters 1.00 P M
		G.P.O.
		Reg. 1.45 P M
		Letters 2.30 P M

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Stockholm	18.10¼
Copenhagen	18.16
Oslo	18.16¼
Vienna	34.45½
Prague	164
Helsingfors	193½
Madrid	41.40
Lisbon	108.25
Athens	375
Bucharest	516
Rio	5⅜
Bombay	1/5 13/16
Shanghai	1/5⅞
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Pres. Wilson, Dollar, July 13.
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AMOY.

Antung, B. & S., July 13.
Haiyang, Douglas, July 15.
Kumsang, Jardine's, July 17.
Taiyuan, B. & S., July 17.
Tjileboet, J.C.J.L., July 17.
Haining, Douglas, July 18.
Kingyuan, B. & S., July 21.
Tilawa, B.I., July 24.
Tjikarang, J.C.J.L., July 24.
Tsinan, B. & S., July 24.
Suisang, Jardine's, July 25.
Talamba, B.I., July 29.
Namsang, Jardine's, Aug. 5.
Talma, BI., Aug. 10.

ANTWERP.

Terukuni Maru, NY.K., July 12.
Tungsha, Thoresen, July 15.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., July 26.
Java, Manners, July 26.
Jeypore, P. & O., July 26.
Tudor, Thoresen, July 27.
Kalyan, P. & O., Aug. 2.
Ceylon, Gilman's, Aug. 8.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 9.

AUSTRALIAN PORTS.

Aki Maru, N.Y.K., July 22.
Taiping, B. & S., July 22.
Nellore, E. & A., Aug. 3.
Kitano, N.Y.K., Aug. 19.

BALTIC PORTS.

Java, Manners, July 26.

BALTIMORE.

Pyrrhus, B.F., July 25.
Birchbank, Bank, Aug. 1.
City of Delhi, Bank, Aug. 11.

BANGKOK.

Kiangsu, B. & S., July 13.
Hirundo, Thoresen, July 14.
Kaying, B. & S., July 20.

BARCELONA.

Tungsha, Thoresen, July 15.
Burgenland, Jebsen, July 17.
Tudor, Thoresen, July 27.
Doric Star, Dodwell's, Aug. 8.

BELAWAN-DELI.

Cremer, J.C.J.L., July 17.

BOMBAY.

Morea, P. & O., July 19.
Mirzapore, P. & O., July 23.
Rangoon Maru, N.Y.K., July 28.
Tamba Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 11.
Rajputana, P. & O., Aug. 16.

BOSTON.

Pres. Wilson, Dollar, July 13.
British Prince, Furness, July 16.
Tai Yin, Dodwell's, July 17.
Pyrrhus, B.F., July 25.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, July 27.
Japanese Prince, Furness, July 30.
Birchbank, Bank, Aug. 1.
Atago Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 2.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.
City of Delhi, Bank, Aug. 12.
Chinese Prince, Furness, Aug. 13.

BREMEN.

Fulda, Melchers, July 26.
Witell, Melchers, Aug. 4.
Witram, Melchers, Aug. 14.

BRINDISI.

Col. di Lana, Dowdell's, Aug. 8.

CALCUTTA.

Akita Maru, N.Y.K., July 15.
Takliwa, B.I., July 18.
Hosang, Jardine's, July 19.
Yuensang, Jardine's, July 28.
Yamagata Maru, N.Y.K., July 29.
Kumsang, Jardine's, Aug. 6.
Tilawa, B.I., Aug. 16.

CEBU.

Pyrrhus, B.F., July 25.

CHEFOO.

Kueichow, B. & S., July 15.
Huichow, B. & S., July 22.

COLOMBO.

Terukuni Maru, NY.K., July 12.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, July 13.
Chenonceaux, M.M., July 15.
Morea, P. & O., July 19.
Durban Maru, N.Y.K., July 20.
Mirzapore, P. & O., July 23.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., July 26.
Jeypore, P. & O., July 26.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, July 27.
Rangoon Maru, N.Y.K., July 28.
Athos II., M.M., July 29.
Kalyan, P. & O., Aug. 2.
Aeneas, B.F., Aug. 5.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 9.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.
Tamba Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 11.
D'Artagnan, M.M., Aug. 12.
Glenamoy, Jardine's, Aug. 12.

COPENHAGEN

Java, Manners, July 26.

DALNY.

Yingchow, B. & S., July 15.
Tean, B. & S., July 21.
Sarpedon, B.F., July 26.

DUTCH PORTS.

Terukuni Maru, NY.K., July 12.
Tungsha, Thoresen, July 15.
Burgenland, Jebsen, July 17.
Achilles, B.F., July 22.
Friesland, Jebsen, July 25.
Fulda, Melchers, July 26.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., July 26.
Java, Manners, July 26.
Jeypore, P. & O., July 26.
Tudor, Thoresen, July 27.
Kalyan, P. & O., Aug. 2.
Witell, Melchers, Aug. 4.
Aeneas, B.F., Aug. 5.
Vogtland, Jebsen, Aug. 5.
Ceylon, Gilman's, Aug. 8.
Doric Star, Dodwell's, Aug. 8.
City of Madras, Bank, Aug. 9.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 9.
Glenamoy, Jardine's, Aug. 12.
Witram, Melchers, Aug. 14.

FOOCHOW.

Chipshing, Jardine's, July 13.
Haiyang, Douglas, July 15.
Kueichow, B. & S., July 15.
Haining, Douglas, July 18.
Tean, B. & S., July 21.
Cheongshing, Jardine's, July 22.
Huichow, B. & S., July 22.

GENOA

Pres. Wilson, Dollar, July 13.
Durban Maru, N.Y.K., July 14.
Burgenland, Jebsen, July 17.
Kt. Companion, B.F., July 20.
Friesland, Jebsen, July 25.
Fulda, Melchers, July 26.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, July 27.
Vogtland, Jebsen, Aug. 5.
Col. di Lana, Dowdell's, Aug. 8.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.

GLASGOW.

Kt. Companion, B.F., July 20.
Aeneas, B.F., Aug. 5.

HAIPHONG AND HOIHOW.

Kanchow, B. & S., July 12.
Chengtu, B. & S., July 24.

HAMBURG.

Tungsha, Thoresen, July 15.
Burgenland, Jebsen, July 17.
Achilles, B.F., July 22.
Friesland, Jebsen, July 25.
Fulda, Melchers, July 26.
Java, Manners, July 26.
Jeypore, P. & O., July 26.
Tudor, Thoresen, July 27.
Witell, Melchers, Aug. 4.
Vogtland, Jebsen, Aug. 5.
Ceylon, Gilman's, Aug. 8.
Doric Star, Dodwell's, Aug. 8.
City of Madras, Bank, Aug. 9.
Glenamoy, Jardine's, Aug. 12.
Witram, Melchers, Aug. 14.

HAVRE.

Kt. Companion, B.F., July 20.
Java, Manners, July 26.
Doric Star, Dodwell's, Aug. 8.

HONOLULU.

Carlier, Bank, July 13.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 20.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 28.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., July 31.

JAPAN PORTS

Dardanus, B.F., July 12.
Preussen, Jebsen, July 12.
Bengal Maru, N.Y.K., July 13.
Kawachi Maru, N.Y.K., July 13.
Kidderpore, P. & O., July 14.
D'Artagnan, M.M., July 15
Dolius, B.F., July 16.
Duisburg, Jebsen, July 16.
Glengarry, Jardine's, July 16.
Hikawa Maru, N.Y.K., July 16.
Kaga Maru, N.Y.K., July 16.
Main, Melchers, July 19.
Menelaus, B.F., July 20.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 20.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., July 21.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., July 23.
Tilawa, B.I., July 24.
Suisang, Jardine's, July 25.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 28.
Agra, Gilman's, July 29.
Angers, M.M., July 29.
Talamba, B.I., July 29.
Glenshiel, Jardine's, July 30.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., July 31.
Fiume-L, Dodwell's, Aug. 1.
Kashmir, P. & O., Aug. 1.
Tyndareus, B.F., Aug. 2.
Borda, P. & O., Aug. 3.
Ramses, Jebsen, Aug. 3.
Lycaon, B.F., Aug. 4.
Namsang, Jardine's, Aug. 5.
Korea Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 6.
Anhalt, Melchers, Aug. 7.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Aug. 7.
Lahn, Melchers, Aug. 9.
Talma, B.I., Aug. 10.
City of Athens, Bank, Aug. 15.
Mantua, P. & O., Aug. 15.

JAVA PORTS.

Tjisaroea, J.C.J.L., July 15.
Tjisondari, J.C.J.L., July 22.
Tjimanoek, J.C.J.L., July 29.

LIVERPOOL.

Durban Maru, N.Y.K., July 14.
Kt. Companion, B.F., July 20.
Doric Star, Dodwell's, Aug. 8.

LONDON.

Terukuni Maru, NY.K., July 12.
Morea, P. & O., July 19.
Achilles, B.F., July 22.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., July 26.
Jeypore, P. & O., July 26.
Kalyan, P. & O., Aug. 2.
Aeneas, B.F., Aug. 5.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 9.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.
Tamba Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 11.
Tilawa, B.I., Aug. 16.

MARSEILLES.

Terukuni Maru, NY.K., July 12.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, July 13.
Durban Maru, N.Y.K., July 14.
Chenonceaux, M.M., July 15.
Tungsha, Thoresen, July 15.
Morea, P. & O., July 19.
Achilles, B.F., July 22.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., July 26.
Java, Manners, July 26.
Jeypore, P. & O., July 26.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, July 27.
Tudor, Thoresen, July 27.
Athos II., M.M., July 29.
Kalyan, P. & O., Aug. 2.
Witell, Melchers, Aug. 4.
Aeneas, B.F., Aug. 5.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 9.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.
D'Artagnan, M.M., Aug. 12.
Witram, Melchers, Aug. 14.
Rajputana, P. & O., Aug. 16.

NAPLES.

Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., July 12.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, July 13.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., July 26.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, July 27.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.

NEW YORK, BOSTON, etc.

Pres. Wilson, Dollar, July 13.
British Prince, Furness, July 16.
Tai Yin, Dodwell's, July 17.
Pyrrhus, B.F., July 25.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, July 27.
Japanese Prince, Furness, July 30.
Birchbank, Bank, Aug. 1.
Atago Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 2.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.
City of Delhi, Bank, Aug. 12.
Chinese Prince, Furness, Aug. 13.

NEWCHWANG.

Yingchow, B. & S., July 15.
Tean, B. & S., July 21.

OSLO.

Tungsha, Thoresen, July 15.
Tudor, Thoresen, July 27.

PANAMA.

Tai Yin, Dodwell's, July 17.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 28.
Atago Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 2.

PENANG.

Terukuni Maru, NY.K., July 12.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, July 13.
Akita Maru, N.Y.K., July 15.
Cremer, J.C.J.L., July 17.
Takliwa, B.I., July 18.
Hosang, Jardine's, July 19.
Morea, P. & O., July 19.
Mirzapore, P. & O., July 23
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., July 26.
Jeypore, P. & O., July 26.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, July 27.
Rangoon Maru, N.Y.K., July 28.
Yuensang, Jardine's, July 28.
Yamagata Maru, N.Y.K., July 29.
Kalyan, P. & O., Aug. 2.
Aeneas, B.F., Aug. 5.
Kumsang, Jardine's, Aug. 6.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 9.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.
Tamba Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 11.
Tilawa, B.I., Aug. 16.

PORTLAND.

Carlier, Bank, July 13.
Corneville, Thoresen, July 14.

RABAUL.

Bremerhaven, Melchers, July 24.

RANGOON.

Akita Maru, N.Y.K., July 15.
Yamagata Maru, N.Y.K., July 29.

SAIGON.

Chenonceaux, M.M., July 15.
Athos II., M.M., July 29.
D'Artagnan, M.M., Aug. 12.

SANDAKAN.

Hinsang, Jardine's, July 20.
Mausang, Jardine's, July 31.
Nellore, E. & A., Aug. 3.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Pres. Pierce, Dollar, July 15.
Tai Yin, Dodwell's, July 17.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 20.
Pres. Taft, Dollar, July 29.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., July 31.
Atago Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 2.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M.L., Aug. 12.

SCANDINAVIAN PORTS.

Java, Manners, July 26.
Ceylon, Gilman's, Aug. 8.

SEATTLE.

Carlier, Bank, July 13.
Corneville, Thoresen, July 14.
Hikawa Maru, N.Y.K., July 16.
Pres. Jackson, A.M.L., July 22.
Tyndareus, B.F., Aug. 2.
Pres. McKinley, A.M.L., Aug. 5.
Korea Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 6.

SHANGHAI.

Dardanus, B.F., July 12.
Preussen, Jebsen, July 12.
Bengal Maru, N.Y.K., July 13.
Hopsang, Jardine's, July 13.
Kawachi Maru, N.Y.K., July 13.
Rhexenor, B.F., July 13.
Sinkiang, B. & S., July 13.
Corneville, Thoresen, July 14.
Kidderpore, P. & O., July 14.
D'Artagnan, M.M., July 15.
Szechnen B. & S., July 15.
Yingchow, B. & S., July 15.
Dolius, B.F., July 16.
Duisburg, Jebsen, July 16.
Glengarry, Jardine's, July 16.
Hangsang, Jardine's, July 16.
Hikawa Maru, N.Y.K., July 16.
Kaga Maru, N.Y.K., July 16.
Moncalieri, Dodwell's, July 17.
Tai Yin, Dodwell's, July 17.
Taiyuan, B. & S., July 17.
Rajputana, P. & O., July 18.
Main, Melchers, July 19.
Soochow, B. & S., July 19.
Menelaus, B.F., July 20.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 20.
Yatshing, Jardine's July 20.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., July 21.
Tean, B. & S., July 21.
Sunning, B. & S., July 22.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., July 23.
Kwongsang, Jardine's, July 23.
Tilawa, P. & O., July 24.
Tjikarang, J.C.J.L., July 24.
Tsinan, B. & S., July 24.
Suisang, Jardine's, July 25.
Sarpedon, B.F., July 26.
Agra, Gilman's, July 29.
Angers, M.M., July 29.
Glenshiel, Jardine's, July 30.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., July 31.
Asia, Manners, Aug. 1.
Fiume-L, Dodwell's, Aug. 1.
Kashmir, P. & O., Aug. 1.
Borda, P. & O., Aug. 3.
Ramses, Jebsen, Aug. 3.
Lycaon, B.F., Aug. 4.
Korea Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 6.
Anhalt, Melchers, Aug. 7.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Aug. 7.
Lahn, Melchers, Aug. 9.
Oanfa, B.F., Aug. 12.
City of Athens, Bank, Aug. 15.
Mantua, P. & O., Aug. 15.

SINGAPORE.

Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., July 12.
Antung, B. & S., July 13.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, July 13.
Durban Maru, N.Y.K., July 14.
Akita Maru, N.Y.K., July 15.
Chenonceaux, M.M., July 15.
Cremer, J.C.J.L., July 17.
Takliwa, B.I., July 18.
Hosang, Jardine's, July 19.
Morea, P. & O., July 19.
Knight Companion, B.F., July 20.
Kingyuan, B. & S., July 21.
Achilles, B.F., July 22.
Mirzapore, P. & O., July 23.
Pyrrhus, B.F., July 25.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., July 26.
Jeypore, P. & O., July 26.
Sarpedon, B.F., July 26.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, July 27.
Rangoon Maru, N.Y.K., July 28.
Yuensang, Jardine's, July 28.
Athos II., M.M., July 29.
Yamagata Maru, N.Y.K., July 29.
Kalyan, P. & O., Aug. 2.
Witell, Melchers, Aug. 4.
Aeneas, B.F., Aug. 5.
Bingo Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 6.
Kumsang, Jardine's, Aug. 6.
Col. di Lana, Dowdell's, Aug. 8.
Doric Star, Dodwell's, Aug. 8.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 9.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.
Tamba Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 11.
City of Delhi, Bank, Aug. 12.
D'Artagnan, M.M., Aug. 12.
Glenamoy, Jardine's, Aug. 12.
Witram, Melchers, Aug. 14.
Tilawa, B.I., Aug. 16.

SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS.

Tinhow, Bank, Aug. 4.
Bingo Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 6.

SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 28.
Bingo Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 6.

SWATOW.

Antung, B. & S., July 13.
Chipshing, Jardine's, July 13.
Hopsang, Jardine's, July 13.
Kiangsu, B. & S., July 13.
Sinkiang, B. & S., July 13.
Hirundo, Thoresen, July 14.
Haiyang, Douglas, July 15.
Kueichow, B. & S., July 15.
Szechnen B. & S., July 15.
Hangsang Jardine's, July 16.
Haining, Douglas, July 18.
Soochow, B. & S., July 19.
Kaying B. & S., July 20.
Yatshing, Jardine's, July 20.
Kingyuan, B. & S., July 21.
Cheongshing, Jardine's, July 22.
Huichow, B. & S., July 22.
Sunning, B. & S., July 22.
Kwongsang, Jardine's, July 23.

TIENTSIN.

Chipshing, Jardine's, July 13.
Kueichow, B. & S., July 15.
Cheongshing, Jardine's, July 22.
Huichow, B. & S., July 22.

TRIESTE AND VENICE.

Col. di Lana, Dowdell's, Aug. 8.

TSINGTAO

Hopsang, Jardine's, July 13.
Sinkiang, B. & S., July 13.
Szechuen, B. & S., July 15.
Hangsang, Jardine's, July 16.
Soochow, B. & S., July 19.
Yatshing, Jardine's July 20.
Sunning, B. & S., July 22.
Kwongsang, Jardine's, July 23.
Sarpedon, B.F., July 26.

VANCOUVER, B.C.

Corneville, Thoresen, July 14.
Hikawa Maru, N.Y.K., July 16.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., July 23.
Tyndareus, B.F., Aug. 2.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Aug. 7.

VICTORIA, B.C.

Hikawa Maru, N.Y.K., July 16.
Pres. Jackson, A.M.L., July 22.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., July 23.
Tyndareus, B.F., Aug. 2.
Pres. McKinley, A.M.L., July 5.
Korea Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 6.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Aug. 7.

VLADIVOSTOCK.

Glengarry, Jardine's, July 16.
Agra, Gilman's, July 29.
Glenshiel, Jardine's, July 30.

WEIHAIWEI.

Kuoichow, B. & S., July 15.
Huichow, B. & S., July 22.
Sarpedon, B.F., July 26.

The s.s. Bremerhaven is expected to arrive on 16th instant.

EXPECTED ARRIVALS AND MOVEMENTS.

Achilles due from Japan July 22.
Aeneas due from Shanghai Aug. 5.
Aki Maru due from Japan July 21.
Anhalt due from Europe Aug. 7.
Atago Maru due from New York July 22.
Athos II. due from Japan July 29.
Bengal Maru due from Europe July 12.
Borda due from Europe Aug. 2.
Bremerhaven due from Rabaul July 16.
Calchas due from Europe Aug. 17.
Carlier arrived from New York July 11.
Changte due from Australia Aug. 12.
Chenonceaux due from Shanghai July 15.
Chichibu Maru due from San Francisco July 21.
City of Athens due from Europe Aug. 15.
City of Bombay due from Manila July 16.
City of Delhi due from Europe July 21.
City of Worcester due from New York Aug. 7.
Dardanus due from Europe July 12
Dolius due from Europe July 16.
Duisburg due from Europe July 16.
Durban Maru due from Europe July 14.
Emp. of Russia due from Shanghai July 14.
Glengarry due from Europe July 17.
Hakusan Maru due from Japan July 25.
Hikawa Maru due from Shanghai July 12.
Hilda due from Japan July 18.
Kaga Maru due from Manila July 15.
Kidderpore due from Singapore July 13.
Knight Companion due from Japan July 20.
Kumsang due from Straits July 15.
Lahn due from Europe Aug. 9.
Lycaon due from Europe Aug. 4.
Main due from Europe July 19.
Menelaus due from Europe July 20.
Menestheus due from New York July 13.
Moncalieri due from Trieste July 17.
Montevideo Maru due from Japan July 17.
Morea due from Shanghai July 18.
Oanfa due from Europe Aug. 12.
Ouderkerk due from Foochow July 12.
Pres. Jackson due from Shanghai July 14.
Pres. Pierce due from Manila July 13.
Pres. Wilson due from Shanghai July 12.
Preussen due from Manila July 12.
Protesilaus due from Japan Aug. 14.
Rajputana due from Europe July 17.
Rakuyo Maru due from San Francisco July 23.
Ramses due from Europe Aug. 3.
Rhexenor due from Europe July 13.
Sarpedon due from Europe July 25.
Sauerland due from Europe Aug. 19.
Taiping arrived from Manila July 10.
Taiwan due from Europe July 21.
Takliwa due from Japan July 16.
Talamba due from Calcutta July 27.
Terukuni Maru arrived from Shanghai July 11.
Tilawa due from Calcutta July 17.
Tjiskarang due from Java July 23.
Tjileboet due from Java July 14.
Tjisaroea due from Amoy July 13.
Tjisondari due from Shanghai July 20.
Tyndareus due from Japan July 21.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Vessel's Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 18th July will be subject to Rent.

All Claims against the Vessel must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 1st August, or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

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HAMBURG AMERIKA LINIE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 19th July, 1930, will be subject to Rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 18th July, 1930, at 10 a.m., by our Surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

All Claims must reach us before the 3rd August, 1930, or they will not be recognized.

No Insurance will be effected.

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No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 13th July, 1930, will be subject to Rent.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 12th July, 1930, at 10 a.m., by our Surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

All Claims must reach us before the 27th July, 1930, or they will not be recognized.

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Hong Kong, 6th July, 1930. [9622

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SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TSINGTAO	"SINKIANG"	On 13th July,	Noon
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KIANGSU"	On 13th July,	3 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TSINGTAO	"SZECHUEN"	On 15th July,	Noon
SWATOW, FOOCHOW, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"KUEICHOW"	On 15th July,	Noon
SANTUAO, SHANGHAI, NEWCHWANG & DALNY	"YINGCHOW"	On 15th July,	5 p.m.
AMOY & SHANGHAI	"TAIYUAN"	On 17th July,	Daylight
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TSINGTAO	"SOOCHOW"	On 19th July,	Noon
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KAYING"	On 2 th July,	3 p.m.
SWATOW, AMOY, SWATOW & S'PORE	"KINGYUAN"	On 21st July,	3 p.m.
FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI, NEWCHWANG & DALNY	"TEAN"	On 21st July,	5 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TSINGTAO	"SUNNING"	On 22nd July,	Noon
SWATOW, FOOCHOW, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"HUICHOW"	On 22nd July,	Noon
AMOY & SHANGHAI	"TSINAN"	On 24th July,	Daylight
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ANGERS	... 29th July
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STATION	JULY 10, 1930. Hong Kong Standard Time	Barometer at Sea Level Inches	Millrs.	Temperature	Humidity	Wind Direction	Wind Force (Beaufort)	Weather (Beaufort)	JULY 11, 1930. Hong Kong Standard Time	Barometer at Sea Level Inches	Millrs.	Temperature	Humidity	Wind Direction	Wind Force (Beaufort)	Weather (Beaufort)
Wladivostock	12	29.68	753.8	64	...	E	2	o	6	29.58	751.3	63	...	SE	2	o
Nemuro	11	29.88	759.0	...	...	SSE	2	...	5	29.78	756.5	...	...	ESE	1	...
Hakodate	"	29.78	756.5	...	...	ESE	3	...	"	29.67	753.5	...	...	E	1	...
Tokio	"	29.72	755.0	...	...	SSE	1	...	"	29.55	750.5	...	...	...	0	...
Kochi	"	29.74	755.5	...	...	SE	1	...	"	29.65	753.0	...	...	...	...	...
Nagasaki	"	29.78	756.5	...	...	SW	3	...	"	29.69	754.0	...	...	SW	2	...
Kagoshima	"	29.80	757.0	...	...	W	1	...	"	29.71	754.5	...	...	...	...	...
Oshima	"	29.78	756.5	...	...	S	1	...	"	29.73	755.0	...	...	...	0	...
Naha	"	29.78	756.5	...	...	S	2	...	"	29.71	754.5	...	...	SE	1	...
Ishigakijima	"	29.72	755.0	...	...	SSE	1	...	"	29.63	752.5	...	...	SE	2	...
Bonin Island	"	29.94	758.0	...	...	SSW	1	...	"	29.80	757.0	...	...	S	1	...
Chefoo	15	29.51	749.5	80	87	NE	1	b	6	29.45	748.0	75	95	...	0	b
Shanghai	14	29.65	753.0	96	63	SSW	4	r	"	29.60	751.8	79	98	S	2	b
Gutzlaff	"	29.71	754.6	83	87	SSE	4	o	"	29.66	753.3	79	95	SSW	4	b
Wenchow	"	29.72	754.8	84	85	WSW	1	b	6	29.67	753.6	81	94	WSW	1	b
Foochow	"	29.70	754.4	88	80	E	2	o	7	29.66	753.3	82	87	N	2	b
Amoy	"	29.64	752.8	90	73	SSW	2	b	6	29.59	751.6	83	83	SE	2	b
Swatow	"	29.75	755.6	58	70	ESE	2	c	"	29.56	750.8	80	96	ENE	1	b
Taihoku	11	29.89	754.2	90	69	...	0	o	5	29.59	751.5	77	94	...	0	b
Taichu	"	29.71	754.5	90	...	...	0	r	"	29.61	752.1	77	...	...	0	b
Tainan	"	29.68	753.9	92	...	WNW	4	b	"	29.59	751.5	79	...	...	0	o
Koshun	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	"	29.58	751.2	79	...	NE	2	r
Pescadores	"	29.69	754.2	90	...	W	2	o	"	29.59	751.5	79	...	...	0	b
Hong Kong	14	29.59	751.6	83	84	E	4	c	6	29.56	750.8	81	89	E	2	c
Gap Rock	"	29.58	751.3	85	...	E	5	c	"	29.55	750.5	84	...	E	4	c
Macao	"	29.56	750.9	84	85	ESE	4	o	"	29.53	750 0	81	92	ESE	4	o
Hoihow	"	29.49	749.0	85	88	ENE	3	c	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pratas Island	"	29.59	751.6	87	77	SE	3	b	6	29.58	751.3	80	93	...	0	c
Phulien	15	29.55	750.6	90	72	WNW	6	o	7	29.52	749.7	79	...	WNW	4	c
Tourane	"	29.56	750.9	81	...	NW	4	o	"	29.49	749.1	77	...	WNW	4	or
Cape St. James	"	29.68	753.9	81	...	SW	6	o	"	29.73	755.1	77	...	SW	8	o
Basco	14	29.60	751.8	86	78	NW	4	o	6	29.48	748.8	81	87	NNE	4	o
Aparri	"	29.59	751.5	86	78	N	4	o	"	29.49	749.1	79	95	SSW	2	o
Tuguegarao	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vigan	"	29.63	752.7	81	89	SSW	4	o	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Manila	"	29.68	753.9	79	90	WSW	4	r	"	29.63	752.7	81	86	SW	4	o
Legaspi	"	29.66	753.3	84	77	WSW	4	o	"	29.65	753.0	79	90	WSW	2	o
Calboyog	"	29.72	754.8	82	81	SW	4	o	"	29.69	754.2	82	81	SSW	4	o
Tacloban	"	29.69	754.2	86	58	SW	4	o	"	29.71	754.5	81	77	S	2	o
Iloilo	"	29.71	754.5	84	81	SW	4	o	"	29.69	753.2	82	86	SW	6	o
Cebu	"	29.69	754.2	82	74	S	6	o	"	29.71	754.5	82	81	SW	4	o
Surigao	"	29.72	754.8	84	77	W	4	o	"	29.71	754.5	75	94	...	0	o
Saipan	11.00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	29.71	754.5	77	...	SE	5	c
Guam	12.22	29.66	753.3	...	...	SE	4	o	4.22	29.66	753.3	...	...	SE	1	b
Yap	11.00	29.72	754.8	...	...	WSW	4	o	5	29.69	754.2	...	...	W	4	o
Pelew	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	"	29.78	756.3	80	...	W	2	c
Labuan	14	29.80	756.9	88	73	W	6	b	6	29.82	757.4	80	87	W	2	b

July 10d. 15h. 44m.—Warning to Hong Kong, Coast Ports, &c.:—Typhoon of unknown intensity within 60 miles of Lat. 18° N. Long. 112° E., stationary or very slow.
July 11d. 10h. 20m.—Warning to Hong Kong, Coast Ports, &c.:—Typhoon of unknown intensity within 60 miles of Lat. 19° N. Long. 111° E., moving W.N.W.
July 11d. 10h. 41m.—A depression is central to the N.W. of Korea.
The typhoon is about 300 miles S.W. of Hong Kong moving W.N.W.
A typhoon has formed to the N.E. of Appari.
Manila warning, 10d. 11h. 45m.:—Typhoon S.W. of Guam moving W.N.W. or N.W. Recd. 10d. 12h. 10m.
Shanghai warning, 11d. 10h. 15m.:—Typhoon of unknown intensity within 120 miles of Lat. 20° N. Long. 125° E., moving N.W. Recd. 11d. 10h. 35m.
Hong Kong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0·35 inch. Total since January 1, 35·74 inches, against an average of 43·12 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON ON JULY 12.

DISTRICT.	FORECAST.
1.—Formosa Channel	Light, variable winds.
2.—South coast of China between Hong Kong and Lamocks	E. winds, moderate.
3.—Hong Kong to Gap Rock	S.E. winds, moderate; fair to showery.
4.—South coast of China between Hong Kong and Hainan	Cyclonic gales.

T. F. CLAXTON, *Director.*

HONG KONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, July 11.

	Previous Day at 4 p.m.	On Date at 10 a.m.	On Date at 4 p.m.
Barometer	29.57	29.57	29.51
Temperature	81	85	86
Humidity	87	77	75
Wind—Direction	E	E	E
Force	4	3	1
Weather	C	C	C
Rain	0.47	0.00	0.23

Highest open-air Temperature, 10: 85
Lowest open-air Temperature, 11: 79

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HONG KONG TIDE TABLE.

From July 12 to 18, 1930.

Days of Week	Date of Month	High Water: Hong Kong Standard Time	Height	Low Water: Hong Kong Standard Time	Height
		h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
Sat.	12	m 0 7	3 7	m 3 14	3 2
		m 0 39	7 3	a 5 22	a 0 4
Sun.	13	m 0 40	3 7	m 3 53	3 2
		m 10 12	7 2	a 5 57	a 0 5
Mon.	14	m 1 9	3 8	m 4 31	3 3
		m 1 46	6 9	a 6 33	a 0 8
Tues.	15	m 1 24	3 8	m 5 8	3 4
		m 1 22	6 6	a 7 10	a 1 1
Wed.	16	m 1 58	3 9	m 5 46	3 4
		0 1	a 6 2	a 7 46	a 1 5
Thur.	17	m 2 24	4 1	m 6 32	3 6
		0 45	a 5 7	a 8 28	a 1 9
Fri.	18	m 2 54	4 4	m 7 44	3 9
		1 40	a 5 1	a 9 9	a 2 3

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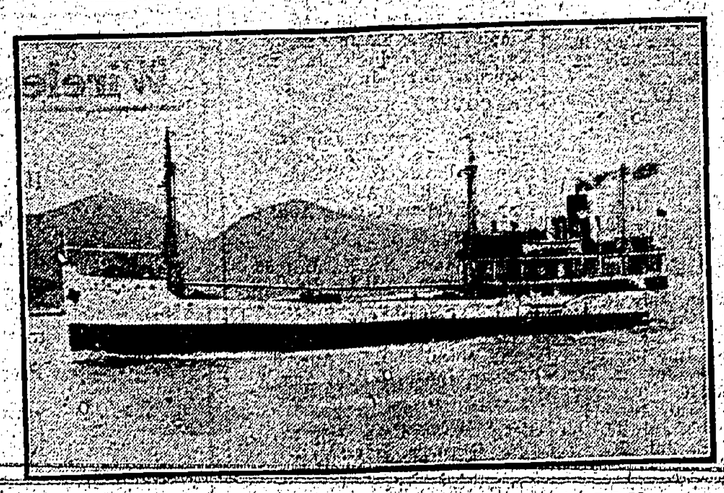

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	"YATSHING"	Sun., 20th July, at 10 a.m.
	"KWONGSANG"	Wed., 23rd July, at 10 a.m.
SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA	"HOSANG"	Satur., 19th July, at 3 p.m.
	"YUENSANG"	Mon., 28th July, at 3 p.m.
	"KUMSANG"	Wed., 6th Aug., at 3 p.m.
OSAKA via AMOY, S'HAI. & KOBE	"SUISANG"	Fri., 25th July, at 7 a.m.
OSAKA via AMOY, MOJI & KOBE	"KUMSANG"	Thurs., 17th July, at 7 a.m.
	"NAMSANG"	Tues., 5th Aug., at 7 a.m.
SANDAKAN	"HINSANG"	Sun., 20th July, at 3 p.m.
	"MAUSANG"	Thurs., 31st July, at Noon
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Empress of Canada	Sept. 4	Sept. 7	Sept. 9	Sept. 11	Sept. 19
Empress of Russia*	Sept. 17	Sept. 20	Sept. 23	Sept. 25	Oct. 4
Empress of Japan	Oct. 2	Oct. 5	Oct. 7	Oct. 9	Oct. 17
Empress of Asia*	Oct. 15	Oct. 18	Oct. 21	Oct. 23	Nov. 1
Empress of Canada	Oct. 30	Nov.	Nov. 4	Nov. 6	Nov. 14
Empress of Russia*	Nov. 12	Nov. 15	Nov. 18	Nov. 20	Nov. 29
Empress of Japan	Nov. 27	Nov. 30	Dec. 2	Dec. 4	Dec. 12
Empress of Asia*	Dec. 10	Dec. 13	Dec. 16	Dec. 18	Dec. 27
Empress of Canada	Dec. 25	Dec. 28	Dec. 30	Jan. 1	Jan. 9
Empress of Russia*	Jan. 7	Jan. 10	Jan. 13	Jan. 15	Jan. 24
Empress of Japan	Jan. 26	Feb. 1	Feb. 3	Feb. 5	Feb. 13
Empress of Asia*	Feb. 25	Feb. 28	Mar. 3	Mar. 5	Mar. 14

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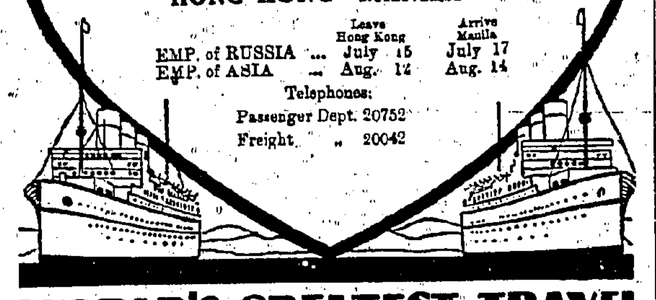

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YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS.

IMPORTS 12,400 TONS; THROUGH CARGO 18,100 TONS.

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office, of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

	Cargo for H.K.	Through Ports.
British		
Taiping, Melbourne	239	425
Apoey, Hongay	3,500	—
Shabonee, San Pedro	3,200	—
Tsinan, Canton	—	20
Helikon, Saigon	2,400	—
	9,339	445
Italian		
Monte Piana, Trieste	4	1,427
	4	1,427
Danish		
Clara Jebsen, Haiphong	130	2,800
	130	2,800
Japanese		
Shidzuoka Maru, Shanghai	670	4,117
Terukun Maru, Yokohama	18	5,231
Yuki Maru, Sea	100	—
Sourabaya Maru, Tawan	96	4,078
	884	13,432
Chinese		
Yuan Lee, Saigon	2,030	—
Tak Hing, Macao	45	—
	2,075	—
Total	12,452	18,124

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:—

	Arr.	Dep.
British	5	8
Italian	1	0
Danish	1	0
Japanese	5	3
Chinese	2	1
Belgian	0	1
American	0	1
Total	14	14

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS.

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Taiping (Br.) Melbourne, Manila	91
Helikon (Br.) Saigon	637
Sourabaya Maru (Japanese) Sourabaya, Tawan	52
Total	780

PASSENGERS.

Arrivals.

The following passengers arrived yesterday by s.s. Terukun Maru:—Sir L. Blandy, Mr. Chin Pou Won, Mr. T. M. Gregory, Mr. E. D. M. Gherini, Mr. H. Owen, Miss L. N. C. Whittalker, Mr. K. Yamaoka.

The following passengers arrived on Thursday by s.s. Taiping:—Mr. and Mrs. A. Harris and child, Mrs. Nellie Thomas, Mrs. Tressider and three children, B. N. Manchester, C. Stott, Mrs. C. Darby, Miss O. Kane, J. Jones, Miss C. Krahnert.

ARRIVALS.

July 10.

Apoey, British str., 1,776 tons, Capt. C. W. Shearer, from Hongay, buoy No. B56.—W. Fat Shing.

Clara Jebsen, Danish str., 1,145 tons, Capt. J. Davidson, from Hoihow, buoy No. C43.—Jebsen & Co.

Helikon, British str., 1,214 tons, Capt. W. Anderson, from Saigon, buoy No. C37.—Wo Fat Sing.

Taiping, British str., 2,582 tons, Capt. Frame, from Melbourne, Sydney and Manila, Holt's Wharf.—B. & S.

Terukumi Maru, Japanese str., 1,193 tons, Capt. T. Sekine, from Yokohama and Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—N.Y.K.

July 11.

Altai Maru, Japanese str., 4,847 tons, Capt. K. Ishigushi, from Dairen, buoy No. A2.—O.S.K.

Puccinum, British str., 5,082 tons, Capt. E. O. Jones, from Tarakan, A.P.C. Wharf.—A.P.C.

Hang Sang, British str., 1,356 tons, Capt. L. H. Hutchings, from Canton, buoy No. B7.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

Hokkoh Maru, Japanese str., 3,254 tons, Capt. Maruyama, from Moji, buoy No. A27.—Y.K.K.

Invincible, American str., 4,829 tons, Capt. F. Ulstad, from Shanghai, Laichikok.—L. Everett, Inc.

Kanchow, British str., 1,222 tons, Capt. R. H. Fairley, from Canton, buoy No. C43.—B. & S.

Kronviken, Norwegian str., 1,519 tons, Capt. T. Rvamum, buoy No. C15.—Ching Kee.

Monte Piana, Italian str., 3,715 tons, Capt. S. Luchetta, from Shanghai, buoy No. A5.—Dodwell & Co.

Shidzuoka Maru, Japanese str., 6,270 tons, Capt. M. Shigyo, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—N.Y.K.

Sinkiang, British str., 1,616 tons, Capt. C. H. Jones, from Canton, buoy No. B11.—B. & S.

CLEARANCES.

July 11.

Altai Maru, for Singapore.
Chung Kang, for Tourane.
City of Delhi, for Takao.
Clara Jebsen, for Swatow.
Fang Lee, for Tsingtao.
Hai Ching, for Swatow.
Hokkoh Maru, for Singapore.
Kanchow, for Hoihow.
Kueichow, for Canton.
Monte Piana, for Singapore.
Seang Bee, for Singapore.
Shidzuoka Maru, for Singapore.
Terukuni Maru, for Singapore.
Tjisondari, for Amoy.
Wing Lee, for K. C. Wan.

SHIPS IN HARBOUR.

The following ships were in harbour yesterday:—

Wharves:—Kowloon: Shidzuoka Maru, Terukuin Maru; Holt's: Taiping; Douglas Lapraik: Venezia.

Docks:—Kowloon: Sui An, Hermes, Kwaisang; Taikoo: Ninghai, Taiyo Maru, Antung, Kaimiloa, Shing Cheong, Anhui, Natica.

Buoys:—A4 Taiyo Maru, A5 Monte Piana, A6 Tjisondari, B7 Hang Sang, A8 City of Deli, A10 Sourabaya Maru, B12 Telemachus, C17 Kueichow, B24 Oudekerk, A26 Kianzan, A27 Hokko Maru, A28 Seang Bee, B32 Hop Sang, C35 Wing Lee, B36 Wing Lee, B36 Yuan

(Continued on next Column.)

Lee, B37 Helikon, B38 G.G. Merlin, C40 Chung Kong, C42 Tai Fook Sing, C43 Clara Jebsen, B50 Chinhua, B51 Storviken, C53 Keinan Maru, B56 Apoey.

TERUKUNI MARU.

NEW N.Y.K. BOAT ON MAIDEN VOYAGE.

The Terukuni Maru, latest addition to the Nippon Yusen Kaisha's European fleet, was inspected yesterday by members of the Press and prominent local residents at the invitation of the Company. She is the sister ship of the Yasukuni which will arrive in the port shortly. Both vessels were constructed by the Misubishi Shipbuilding & Engineering Co., Ltd., who built the Asama Maru and Tatsuta Maru for the Pacific service of the same line.

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A point of interest is that the name of the ship is derived from the Terukuni-jinsha, a Shinto shrine dedicated to Shimadzu Nariakira, Daimyo of Satsuma (1851-1858), who was an exceptionally enlightened ruler, living at the time when Japan came into contact for the first time with modern civilization. He introduced artillery and the arts of photography, telegraphy, lighting by gas, glass manufacture, etc.

The Terukuni Maru arrived in port shortly before 9 p.m. on Thursday, and Capt. Sekine reports that he had fair, clear weather throughout the voyage. She left Yokohama on June 30 and sailed from Shanghai on the 8th instant. She carried 17.7 tons of cargo for this port and 5,251.3 tons for through ports.

The vessel is on her maiden voyage to London *viâ* ports.

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The s.s. Venezia, which suspended her activities about a week ago, is still laid up at the Douglas Company Wharf. It is understood that one of the chief causes is a dispute between the China New Era Shipping Company and a Chinese shipyard at Hunghom, but the company are reluctant to give out any news beyond the fact that there is a possibility of putting the seamer into service again as soon as they have settled the dispute with the shipyard and a few other claimants.

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†"KALYAN"	9,144	2nd Aug.	Mars., L'don., Hull, B'dm. & A'werp.
"RAJPUTANA"	16,568	16th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
*"KIDDERPORE"	5,334	19th Aug.	Straits, Colombo and Bombay.
†"KASHMIR"	8,985	30th Aug.	Mars., L'don., Hull, B'dm. & A'werp.
"MANTUA"	10,946	13th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
†"KASHGAR"	9,005	27th Sept.	Mars., L'don., Hull, B'dm. & A'werp.
"MALWA"	10,980	11th Oct.	Marseilles & London.
†"KHYBER"	9,114	25th Oct.	Mars., L'don., Hull, B'dm. & A'werp.
"MACEDONIA"	11,120	8th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"KARMALA"	9,128	22nd Nov.	do.
"RAWALPINDI"	16,619	6th Dec.	do.
†"KALYAN"	9,144	20th Dec.	Mars., L'don., Hull, B'dm. & A'werp.
		1931	
"RANCHI"	16,650	3rd Jan.	Marseilles and London.
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"RAJPUTANA"	16,568	18th July	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
"TILAWA"	10,006	24th July	Amoy, S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"TALAMBA"	8,018	29th July	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"KASHMIR"	8,985	1st Aug.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
*"BORDA"	—	3rd Aug.	Shanghai & Kobe
"TALMA"	10,000	10th Aug.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"MANTUA"	10,946	15th Aug.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
"KASHGAR"	9,005	29th Aug.	do.
*"BIRRIMA"	—	31st Aug.	Shanghai & Kobe.
"MALWA"	10,980	12th Sept.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
*"NAGPORE"	5,253	23rd Sept.	do.
"KHYBER"	9,114	26th Sept.	do.
"MOREA"	10,954	10th Oct.	do.
"KARMALA"	9,128	18th Oct.	do.
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"MACEDONIA"	11,120	24th Oct.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
"RAWALPINDI"	16,619	7th Nov.	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama.
"KALYAN"	9,144	22nd Nov.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
"RANCHI"	16,650	5th Dec.	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama.
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"COMORIN"	15,132	3rd Jan.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Y'hama.
"KASHGAR"	9,005	17th Jan.	do.
"MALWA"	10,980	31st Jan.	do.
"MACEDONIA"	11,120	14th Feb.	do.
"RAWALPINDI"	16,619	28th Feb.	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama.
"KHIVA"	9,135	14th Mar.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Y'hama.
"RAJPUTANA"	16,586	27th Mar.	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama.
"KALYAN"	9,144	10th Apr.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Y'hama.
"COMORIN"	15,132	24th Apr.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.

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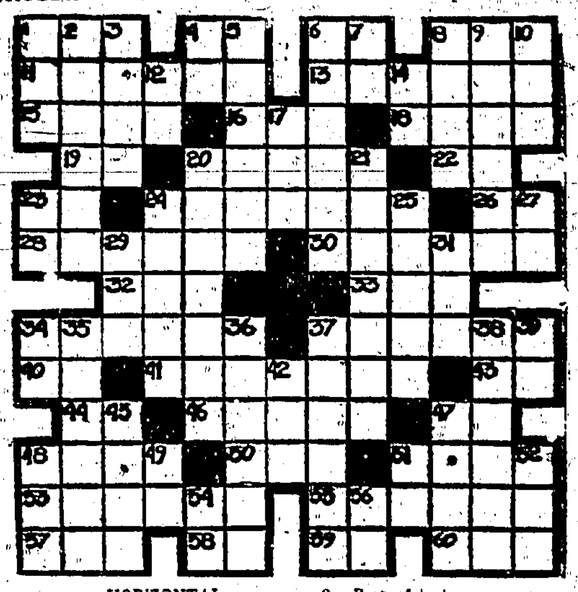

HORIZONTAL

1.—Meadow.
4.—Jumbled type.
6.—Thus.
8.—Enemy.
11.—Parentless person.
13.—Cavalry units.
15.—To sit for picture.
16.—Part of shoe.
18.—Dudes.
19.—Prefix: down.
20.—Undomesticated.
22.—Toward.
23.—Pronoun.
24.—Last acts.
26.—Symbol for samarium.
28.—One having a habit.
30.—Parts of plays.
32.—An insect.
33.—A beverage.
34.—Territory ruled.
37.—Pliant.
40.—Siberian river.
41.—Plunderers.
43.—Part of "to be."
44.—Musical note.
46.—A relative.
47.—Article.
48.—To warble.
50.—To observe.
51.—Ages.
53.—To pass over.
55.—To expand.
57.—A vegetable.
58.—Plural ending.
59.—French for and.
60.—Wager.

VERTICAL

1.—To cut.
2.—Ate away.
3.—Part of church.
4.—Father.
5.—Purpose.
6.—Takes unlawfully.
7.—Conjunction.
8.—Part of body.
9.—To combat.
10.—A worm.
12.—Pronoun.
14.—Belonging to.
17.—Mouths (Latin plural).
20.—Stories, generally.
21.—To reprove.
23.—Mother.
24.—Last.
25.—Percolates.
27.—While.
29.—Obstruction.
31.—Short sleep.
34.—To act.
35.—To render indebted.
36.—Rackets.
37.—To withdraw.
38.—Woolly.
39.—Type measure.
42.—Golf mound.
45.—Girl's name.
47.—An Asiastic.
48.—To drink slowly.
49.—To depart.
51.—Spanish article.
52.—Complete collection.
54.—Musical note.
56.—Pronoun.

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H. MORI, Manager.

Hong Kong, March 10, 1930. [26

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